

SARAH BERNHARDT'S CONDITION GRAVE

What's Going On In The World

BY CHARLES STEWART
NEA Staff Writer

LONDON plan to abolish capitalism in Great Britain needn't be taken very seriously just yet. It's true that Labor's second party in numerical strength in Parliament, but that doesn't mean, in the British governmental system, that the Conservatives should go out of power, that the Laborites would come in—to star. Ramsay MacDonald, it's a fact, undoubtedly would be appointed premier in such an event but it's a foregone conclusion that the Conservatives and Laborites would combine against him immediately, so that the majority would be against him, and he'd have to resign, under the British governmental system, at once.

Then it's possible that the premiership would be offered to David Lloyd George, the Liberal leader who was premier before, or perhaps there'd be a national election without any further experimenting.

Anyway, an election's what things would come to pretty soon, because that's what always happens in England, where administrations don't last for any definite term, except that there's a maximum of seven years fixed, whenever there's any doubt which party in Parliament has most votes.

And an election would be sure to mean a victory by the moderates over the radicals, of whom the latter make up the group behind the anti-capitalism proposals of Philip Snowden, who, even among radicals, is considered pretty pronounced in his views.

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Scores Driven From Homes By Floods From The Huge Ice Jam

OMAHA, Neb., March 24—By The Associated Press.—Unprecedented mammoth ice gorges in the Missouri river and tributary streams near Vermillion, Sioux City and Oaucha, Ia., and Dakota City today have precipitated conditions which present a flood menace for all the lowlands between Vermillion, S. D., and Omaha, the flooding of thousands of acres of rich farm lands in the three states, destruction of hundreds of farm homes and at least the partial inundation of Sioux City and several lesser cities and towns.

More than 400 homes in the bottom lands of Sioux City were untenable today and a two foot rise in the waters of Floyd river, backing up from the Missouri river, would, according to police, inundate an additional forty residential blocks.

An ice gorge reported to have attained a length of eleven miles and a width in places of seven miles near Sergeant Bluff, is stranding the Missouri river.

A decided drop in temperature this morning helped the ice mass retain its hold. But at any moment it may give way and then the dammed up waters would surge down the valley. A conservative Sioux City estimate placed the number of farms in the path of such a water wall at two thousand.

Ten counties of South Dakota, Iowa and Nebraska would hear the brunt of the onslaught.

Late last night an ice gorge formed near Oaucha, Ia., and flood stage developed, forcing the residents of the lowlands there to flee.

The gorge at midnight had grown to be three and a half miles long. At that hour the authorities gave up hope of shattering the gorge with explosives.

The gorge caused the James river to rise from backed up water. A rapid rise was experienced early this morning in the Big Sioux river at Elk Point, South Dakota, where conditions similar to Vermillion were reported.

Sioux City today was threatened with increased perils as the danger became acute that the gorges at Vermillion and Elk Point might break during the early morning hours. Breaching of the gorges would flood all the lowlands between Vermillion and Sioux City.

At ten o'clock last night, the Missouri river reached a stage of 36.8 feet at Sioux City and was reported to be practically stationary at that point. The Floyd river, however, continued to rise at last reports early today and was within 2 feet of a stage at which it would present a serious menace to the main city gorge.

A dangerous situation was also developing at Homer, Neb., the scene of the great 1920 flood, when the town was virtually wiped out of existence. At an early hour efforts were being made to dynamite a gorge that had formed in Omaha Creek there and had caused a rise of five feet in a few hours.

Could Reported Much Better
PARIS—George J. Gould is reported as much improved at health resort near Nice, France.

Freaks Arrive

NEWARK, N. J., Mar. 24—Superintendent of Schools Corson today ordered an investigation of methods employed by Louis A. Horwitz, physical director of the Miller Street school, to obtain confessions from two boy pupils that they had played truant.

The boys, Kenneth Kinsey and Bertram Brown, were stripped of their shoes and stockings and with long ropes tied around their waists were lowered to steel spikes of running shoes sharpened in their presence, according to the story told to Chas. H. Gleason, assistant superintendent of schools.

Girl pupils looked on during the proceedings.

Horwitz according to Mr. Corson has admitted to the story in some respects but denied that the feet of the boys actually touched the spikes. Horwitz was quoted as saying "I just wanted to frighten them. I realize now I was wrong."

Cold Snap Promised

WASHINGTON, March 24—The weather bureau today announced that frost was probable tonight as far south as Georgia. Cold wave warnings were issued for northern and central New York and northern New England, while weather bureau advices indicated lower temperatures tonight in the Ohio Valley and the lower Lake region.

Harding's Hostess Directs Movie



While entertaining President and Mrs. Harding in Florida, Mrs. Edward B. McLean, Washington social leader, visited the D. W. Griffith studio at Miami and directed a big baroque scene in "The White Rose." Photo shows Mrs. McLean with megaphone. Her son, John is on her right, and Mae Marsh on her left.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS
By J. P. Alley

PEYS SOME FOLKS, JES' QUICK EZ DEY GITS DRESSED UP A LITTLE DEY ALLUZ WANTS T' BAWL SOMEBODY OUT!!



Evidence Of Spirit Form Shows In Photograph

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Mar. 24—Three photograph plates exposed with the lens of the camera encompassing a view of the casket containing the body of Mrs. Mary Fairfield McKiever, associated pastor of the Central Spiritualist church, against a background of green velvet, showed "evidence of a spirit form," according to C. H. Monroe, a commercial photographer, employed for the test, and Mrs. McKiever's co-religionists who saw development of the plates. One plate was spoiled in developing.

Mrs. Mary C. Vasek, pastor of the Central Spiritualist church, stated that she had seen Mrs. McKiever's spirit hovering over her friends at the funeral last yesterday when the photographic test to determine whether Mrs. McKiever would be able to return to earthly life was made.

Monroe refused to comment further than to say that he could not understand the appearance of "distinct impressions" on the plates and printing from them today would further enlighten.

The attempt at photographing her spirit was made as suggested by Mrs. McKiever.

Two weeks before she died the Spiritualist arranged for her funeral and directed that at five p. m., the effort to record her spirit's return to earthly life be made.

Has Intestinal Indigestion
WASHINGTON—Mrs. John W. Weeks, wife of secretary of war, reaches Washington and her illness is described as intestinal indigestion.

Call For Economic Conference
ROME—International chamber of commerce "at Rome unanimously passes American resolution calling for world economic conference."

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American Girl Saves 600 In Turkish Fire



Miss Pauline Allen, of Boston, a Near East Relief worker, led a party of 50 officers and men from the United States destroyer, McCormick, and directed the rescue of 600 Greek refugees, when a building in which they were housed, on the Bosphorus, near Constantinople, was destroyed by fire. She was officially commended by the commanding officers of the McCormick.

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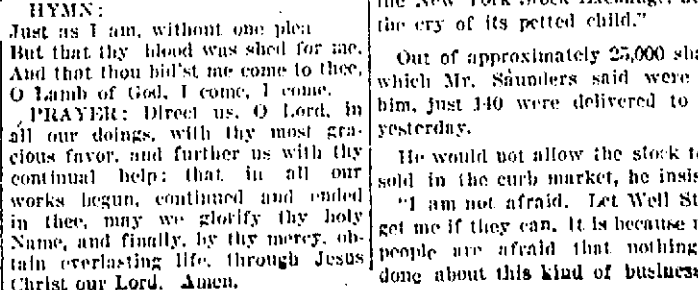
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Noted Actress Suffers Relapse

PARIS, March 23—(By United Press)—Madame Sarah Bernhardt is slowly sinking and it is feared the end is near but as the world's greatest actress glides from the wings of life toward the great stage of the invisible tomorrow the voices of her immortal "Camille" and her never-to-be forgotten "L'Aiglon" are calling. "Relatives and other members of the household were gathered at the bedside of Bernhardt this afternoon. Her doctors fear she will not live out the night. During the day the great actress became delirious and as those who love her stood weeping nearby they heard Bernhardt, in what appeared to be the last time, in the roles that brought the world to her feet. In her delirium the great actress imagined herself again on the stage. While her body was slowly perishing her soul spoke. She recited in the voice which kings, princes and the people of the world had acclaimed the dramatic roles of the day when she was the queen of the stage."

Borah's Speech Is Not Bothering Politicians

BY DAVID LAWRENCE
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DAYTONA, Fla., March 24—Senator Borah's speech at Akron, Ohio, did not create any displeasure in the presidential party. Far from being regarded as a dissenting voice, the Idaho Senator's remarks in favor of a "bold and determined program" with a resolute leadership, were echoed here.

Mr. Borah failed to make a bid for a third party organization and emphasized the opportunity to make the Republican party a truly progressive instrument. There again his ideas coincided with those of President Harding, who more than any man, would be glad to help in the task of uplifting the standard of American politics.

What Mr. Borah said in his speech was so general, indeed, as to permit of endorsement and those who see in it a move for the candidacy of the Idaho Senator, will have to interpret his remarks as a criticism of the Harding administration's line of omission. Certainly nobody here assumes that the lofty purposes mentioned by Mr. Borah are beyond the scope of ambition of President Harding.

The movement to make Mr. Borah a candidate for the Presidency began many months ago with the rally at Akron planned as the opening gun but while the friends of Mr. Borah have been organizing, the announcement from Attorney General Daugherty has been made and imputes to any direct effort on behalf of Senator Borah hereafter a sort of anti-Harding flavor.

While the Harding men would naturally like to see their Chief renounced unanimously, they do not expect it. Senator La Follette will command not only the delegates from Wisconsin, but possibly some of the other western states. Some strategists do not think it a bad idea for Senator Borah to be out campaigning at this time because the more men of his type who strike out for individual prestige with the so-called progressive elements in the Republican party the better.

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Snowden Rumored Jury Tampering

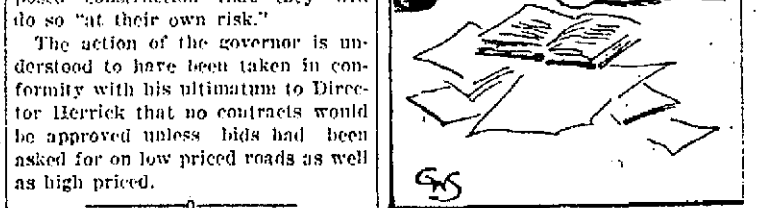
ST. JOSEPH, MICH., March 24—(By The Associated Press)—There was no session today of the trial of William Z. Foster, of Chicago for violation of Michigan's syndicalism law. Adjournment over the week end was taken last night with the defense only partially presented.

Adjournment was followed by rumors of jury tampering. While state officials refused to discuss those reports, Judge Charles White recalled the jurors and after barring newspapermen from the court room, conferred with them five minutes. He declined to say why the jury had been recalled or to give any information about his conference with the prosecutors, that preceded his audience with the talsmen.

Donahoe To Deliver Address

ADA, O., March 24—Governor Donahoe will deliver the commencement address at Ohio Northern University, May 23, President Smith announced today.

Billy Butt-In THE TIMES WEATHER MAN



To Oppose Road Projects

COLUMBUS, O., March 24—Governor Donahoe late yesterday notified Highway Director Herrick that "very few if any" of the road projects advertised for letting March 30 will be approved by finance director Baker and asked Herrick to notify contractors who submit bids for the proposed construction that they will do so "at their own risk."

The action of the governor is understood to have been taken in conformity with his ultimatum to Director Herrick that no contracts would be approved unless bids had been asked for on low priced roads as well as high priced.

Woolen Workers Get Wage Raise

BOSTON—New England employees of American Woolen company accept 12 1/2 per cent wage increase and express confidence in William W. Wood, head of organization.

Drown In Creek
STRASSBURG — Walter Blackwood, 25, Freeport, railroad bridge workman fell into a creek near here from a bridge and was drowned. Fellow workman who attempted to rescue him also lost his life.

Wholesale Liquor Raids
HAMILTON—Combined force of 50 federal and state prohibition officials conducted raid near here arresting 19 persons charged with illegal possession of liquor.

Ebert's Daughter Engaged
LONDON—Bertha announces engagement of Amelia Ebert, only daughter of president of Germany, to Dr. Wilhelm Janczietz, an attaché of foreign office.

WASHINGTON March 24—Weather outlook for the week beginning Monday:

Ohio Valley: Rain Monday and Tuesday, generally fair middle of week; rain toward end. Frequent alterations in temperature.

Region of the Great Lakes: Snow or rain Monday or Tuesday, continuing over Lake region Wednesday; rain over south and snow or rain over north portion again latter part of week. Rising temperature Monday.

The extremes in the local temperature today were high, 56, low, 39.

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Borah's

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less likelihood of formidable opposition to Mr. Harding being built up by concentration on any one progressive, and when the convention has made its nomination, Mr. Borah's support will be all the more valuable.

He threatened to bolt the party in 1916 and again in 1920 but he stayed regular in both campaigns. Should he endorse Mr. Harding after the convention has been held, he will tend to keep the Republican candidate mindful of the progressive forces in the party.

There is little doubt even at this early stage of the game that the 1924 campaign will involve no small extent the use once more of the terms "Progressive" and "conservative" or "stand pat." Mr. Harding has always been allied with the latter wing of the Republican party but it is noticeable that when Attorney General Daugherty and others in the Harding entourage talk about "progressive" Government they do not exclude the acts or purposes of the Harding administration and tend rather to construe the term "progressive" as meaning a Government of righteousness and impartiality as between classes and interests.

There is hardly a plank of importance, for instance, in the farm program of the national progressive conference, called by the friends of Senator La Follette in Washington immediately after the Congressional elections last fall which has not met with the approval of the Harding administration. If the fight as being "progressive" and "stand pat" is to be staged on the agriculture vote of the West, the Harding administration stands ready to defend what it has done, for the farmer through the War Production corporation and the new intermediate farm credit system of banking.

What Senator Borah, however, is more likely to do, to make things uncomfortable between now and the next convention is to stress the importance of some step on the part of the American government to assist in the world wide economic situation. He has been clamoring for an international economic conference on the ground that farmers would get higher prices for their products when the purchasing power of Europe was increased and he has insisted that the moral influence of the United States could accomplish a great deal toward stabilizing European conditions.

tions. President Harding and Secretary Hughes have said the time was not ripe for such action and would not be until the Ruhr situation was cleared up. Mr. Borah's cry for action nevertheless will be taken up by the Democrats some of whose spokesmen, like James M. Cox, and William Jennings Bryan, have already cut loose from definite formulas and expressed a plan in general terms for the greater use of American influence in world affairs.

Mr. Harding has not forgotten the bitter feeling inside the Republican party over the League of Nations controversy and is not anxious to stir up those who feel as do Senator Hiram Johnson of California. The latter is fully expected to support Mr. Harding for re-nomination unless between now and the convention some move is made by the President which the California Senator can plausibly say is inconsistent with the pledges given in 1920 concerning non-entanglement in European politics.

Senator Borah and Senator Johnson have split on this issue, the latter insisting that a world economic conference is nothing more or less than a league of nations type of affair. The California Senator while viewing the world court proposal as barren, less in itself has announced his opposition to American membership simply because the court was created by the League of Nations. As the situation develops, the problem of President Harding is choosing which of the so-called progressives he will side with on international affairs—Senator Borah or Senator Johnson—will become more and more difficult but the President knows a good many things can happen in Europe between now and June 1924 which can take the decision out of the realm of American choice and make necessary an undisputed course of action.

Many Fell In Race

LIVERPOOL, Mar. 24.—The Grand National Steeplechase resulted fatally yesterday to at least one horse, the American owned Masterful. Two jockeys are known to have been hurt, while 21 of the 28 starters fell.

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Award Contract

The contract for the remodeling of the Stanley Theatre at Sciotoville was awarded yesterday afternoon to F. W. Carson by Architects DeVoss and Donaldson. Work on the structure will begin immediately. When finished the theatre will be one of the most attractive small motion picture houses in Southern Ohio. The theatre is owned by Simon Labold.

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Scout News

Arrangements have been made by the Portsmouth Council of Boy Scouts for the showing of several reels of motion pictures next Thursday night at Moose Hall. The program will include a reel depicting winter sports at Saranac Lake; Charlie Chaplin in a two-reel comedy, "The Pawn Shop," and Douglas Fairbanks in a feature picture, "The American." Shows will be given at 2:30 in the afternoon and at 7:30 and 9 in the evening. Music will be furnished by William Plummer's orchestra.

Tickets have been placed on sale and may be secured from any Boy Scout. The proceeds realized will be used as a benefit for the Scout camp.

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Chicks, candy, chocolate and mechanical.
Colored Candy Eggs, all sizes.
Mullane's delicious Chocolate Eggs, 5c, 10c and 15c.
Lowmyer's Special Easter package, 2 pounds 98c

Flood, Drugs

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed separate proposals will be received by the Director of Public Service in the office of the said Director until twelve (12) o'clock noon, Central Standard Time, for the purpose of the following two bids: On Tuesday, the 26th day of April, 1923:—

(1st)—Improvement of Green Avenue from Sixteenth street to a point 90 feet east by grading, setting curbs and gutters, constructing the necessary drains and retaining walls, paving the roadway with vitrified brick, hard burned brick, cement or bituminous paving.

(2nd)—Improvement of Sixteenth street and Sixteenth Street from Dewey Avenue to Fifth street, by grading, paving the roadway with vitrified brick, hard burned brick, cement or bituminous paving.

(3rd)—Improvement of the Alley between Second Street and Third Street, East from Hutchins, by grading, draining, paving same with vitrified brick, hard burned brick, cement or bituminous paving.

Each of the above proposed must contain the names of all the parties interested therein and must be accompanied by a certified check on some solvent bank in an amount of ten per cent (10 per cent) of the sum of each separate proposal as a security that the bid or bids submitted, a contract, or contracts will be entered into and its or their performance properly secured.

Plans, specifications and estimates may be seen and blank proposals may be had at the office of the City Engineer, The City of Portsmouth, Ohio, between the hours of 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. on all business days.

By order of William Germons, Director of Public Service.
LEO D. KIRKNER,
Clerk of the Department of Public Service.
Advertisement, March 24, 1923.

ABE MARTIN

On Topics o' th' Day



NEARIN' TH' END

Th' Bentleys are all worked up an' excited o'er th' approachin' wedding of th' daughter, Roselle, fer fear somethin' might happen t' prevent it. "Arrangements fer weddin' have got lots further than Rosy's an' then somethin' happened t' head 'em off, a ketch o' some kind. So fer ever' thing looks promisin' enough, but th' weddin' is a full week away an' a heap o' things kin happen in a week," said Mr. Bentley t' day. Rosy Bentley wuz a sweet little girl, but she's grown t' be kind o' untamable, not v'icious o' nothin' but just chuck full o' pep an' ideas. She calls her pap "dad" an' her maw "mother," but at that she's jest complete beyond 'em. She works too fast fer 'em. She's independent an' modern an' classy. Her folks idolize her, but they hardly ever know where where she is. They're afeard t' discipline her when she's at home

fer fear she'll run off. They like her, they think ever' thing o' her, an' they're anxious t' git her out o' harm's way. They can't sleep fer worryin'. They naturally want t' know where she is. She's seventeen, purty an' athletic, with yeller fingers an' hair, symmetrical, an' kin read an' write some. She kin swing any make o' car an' stick on th' wildest horse. "I've never seen that girl sittin' down," said her maw recently. Her paw sold his hogs Saturday an' bought her some underwear an' priced some violets, an' had her teeth plugged up good as new with his last wheat money. Rosy's folks have had her intended out t' dinner twice an' gave him all th' milk he could drink, an' opened all th' preserves on th' place, an' showed him th' new calf. "He's a likely enough lookin' chap, as boys go these days, but nothin' heavy perhaps. We t' discipline her when she's at home

behind him, an' we aim t' help 'em keep married. O' course they won't be much left o' th' farm after we git th' weddin' over with. It'll be jest like startin' over agin fer us after we git Rosy hooked up an' off th' streets. But we feel that after we git kitched up on our sleep we'll be equal t' anythin'. Besides we'll know where she's located most o' th' time. "My goodness, how I've sewed and prayed fer that girl," said Mrs. Bentley, t' a neighbor last week. We guess daughters cause lots o' anxiety these days. O' course if we miss a son, we know he's in jail, but somehow parents like t' know their daughters are either married or in good hands. We'll bet if Rosy Bentley's weddin' goes through O. K. there'll be a sigh o' relief go up on th' Bentley farm, that'll sound like th' exhaust from a cotton baler.

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TOMORROW IS PALM SUNDAY

Tomorrow is Palm Sunday, and as usual it will be fittingly observed in the St. Mary's and Holy Redeemer churches, where appropriate sermons will be delivered.

livered. Annual distribution of palm will also be made. Palm Sunday marks the opening of Holy Week, the closing week of Lent. Next Thursday is Holy Thursday, the day follow-

ing is Good Friday, and on Saturday Fathers Goebel and McGuirk make their annual distribution of holy water to members of their congregations.

What's Going

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Same As In U. S. A.

THE British Conservatives and Liberals are conservative and liberal respectively in about the same sense that Republicans are republican and Democrats are democratic in the United States.

That is to say, they have their political contests between themselves and sometimes get pretty sore over them, but each would rather see the other in office than have a third party break in. Before they'd permit such a thing to happen they'd permit the Jews to express in his conundrum, and together they'd have a large majority over the Labor vote.

Just to illustrate that they're not irreconcilably far apart, Andrew Bonar Law, now the Conservative leader and premier, didn't object to holding office for several years in the cabinet of David Lloyd George, who is head of the Liberal minority in Parliament now.

Mr. Lloyd George, on the other hand, though partly advanced in some of the views he expressed in his conundrum, has so far toned down his ideas with years that the Conservatives seriously considered for awhile the plan of conscripting him to lead themselves—and almost certainly would, if he'd given the word, which he didn't do, not because he wasn't conservative enough, but because he had other political ambitions of his own.

Radical But Won't Pass

THIS isn't to say that Labor, as a whole, isn't more radical in Great Britain than it is in the United States. It's considerably more so. But the time hasn't come for England to be Bolshevized. The Laborites are in favor of a levy on capital sufficient to relieve England of her pressing post-war financial embarrassments and this proposition has some support outside the party. If times stay as hard as they are now, it's conceivable that such a policy might win the endorsement of a majority of the voters. It would amount to some system of taxation designed to bear especially upon accumulated wealth, but there's no chance that it would take it all.

For even so drastic a program the time isn't ripe yet. The last election showed it. Snowden's proposals are revolutionary, all right, but they won't

Estelle Taylor Fascinating In New Fox Play At The Eastland

adopted. That's certain. It's as if Meyer London, the Socialist member of the House of Representatives, had proposed, at the last session of Congress, to socialize the United States. It would have been a radical suggestion, but nobody would have paid much attention to it, because everybody had known that it wouldn't pass.

THE British government, according to all accounts, is growing more and more disturbed at the evident progress of negotiations between Paris and Berlin looking toward a settlement of the Ruhr troubles directly between France and Germany, without giving England any voice in the matter.

It just goes to show that the English are convinced France means, if she can, to increase her power on the European continent to a point where she's stronger than England wants her to be.

British commercial interests, cables say, are bringing pressure to bear on Premier Bonar Law to abandon his policy of standstillism, so far as the Ruhr is concerned, and tell the French just where the line is beyond which Great Britain will consider it unfriendly in her to go.

Their Policies Clash
ONE thing demanded by the disinterested English element with especial emphasis is an economic alliance between their country and the United States.

This, indeed, is known to be, if obtainable, part of the present British premier's policy. He includes it in a broad general plan he has advanced already for better co-operation between the mother country and her overseas dominions, especially Canada and Australasia.

In short, the development of a closer relationship between the English speaking countries is Bonar Law's aim. Lord Curzon, the foreign minister, is determined, however, on adherence to the entente connection between England and France, through thick and thin.

If the Bonar Law cabinet is to endure long, it seems to be the general judgment of English newspapers



At the Eastland Theater Monday, March 26, in "A Fool There Was" a new film adapted from the play by Porter Emerson Browne, scenario by Bernard McConville and directed by Emmett J. Flynn, William Fox, the producer, appears determined to make the screen vampire once more a household necessity. Evidently having it limited abroad that the movie siren was gone, his slogan appears to have been, "The vamp is dead—long live the vamp!"

The picture sticks as closely as a brother to the stage tale of the wealthy man who forsakes his wife and child to go with a woman of the demimonde encountered on a steamer; who seems about to return to his family when he is lured away again by the designing mixx, and who, having determined to free himself from the rough and ready expedient of killing her, is tipped over by the bunsters by the mixx herself.

That it will be impossible for Bonar Law and Curzon, due to this basic difference in their views, to pull together in harness very long.

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AND

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"THE MESSAGE OF EMILE COUE"

Byer's

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yer and Byers had made such proposals and that he had flatly refused to concur in them. Byers in his testimony of yesterday said that Senator Rowe had never asked him for free hotel rooms or reduction in rates or for money, and declared that Sawyer originally had proposed the association should pay his hotel bills.

Byers also declared that Nickels had first mentioned the possibility of Sawyer's rendering an attorney's bill and paying Rowe's expenses through the proceeds.

At a conference in Cleveland in January, Byer and Sawyer had suggested to Nickels that he "wished it were possible to give a free room here and there some times." At a later meeting in Columbus, he said, Nickels was told of the statement and said he "could not take the risk, but if Sawyer wished to put up a bill after the session for legal services and to pay for Senator Rowe's hotel expenses out of his own pocket, it was his own business."

Sawyer was not an employee of the association, Byers said, but a friend of his and his lawyer.

Byers, touching upon the \$200 note given by Rowe to Sawyer and later turned over to him (Byers) said that he had loaned Sawyer \$200 at his request, not knowing what he wished with the money and that several days later Sawyer had given him a note signed by Rowe. Sawyer had given him \$300 and taken the note on February 9, he said, 12 days before the hotel bill, received by Rowe from Robert O'Brien, secretary of the association, and given to Senator L. L. Marshall, of Cleveland, was introduced by Marshall. Byers said he also had loaned Sawyer \$50 which he later learned was given to Rowe to defray his expenses, but that this had been paid back. Byers said in neither case did he know that the money was intended for Rowe.

Rowe has said he merely borrowed the money from Sawyer, who was a personal friend. They frequently loaned each other money, he said. The hearing will be resumed next Tuesday at 1 p. m. when Sawyer will testify.

SEND IN THE COUPON

Any one interested in the new race track being built at Russell, Ky., kindly sign and mail this coupon to H. B. Frederick, care of Washington Hotel.

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Things Seen In Portsmouth

Dashing young widow catching her sweetie with another man's wife; said sweetie got on his knees and begged her not to "sneak" on him.

Pretty combed carrying an awful lot of shirts to an automobile so her "steady" could select his choice.

Two young fellows from the sticks holding up traffic on Chillicothe street while they took off their hats "in" everything to slip a string of ten cent beads over their heads.

Antioch driving lickety-split down Gallia street and splashing muddy water over every pedestrian on the sidewalk.

The New Boston

STYLE SHOP

For Style and Value

SCIOTOVILLE and WHEELERSBURG

SCIOTOVILLE

The members of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will hold their annual Easter sale and social in the basement of the church, Tuesday evening, March 27. The following delicious menu will be served: chicken, pork roast, mashed potatoes, gravy, cold slaw, bread, butter, jelly, ice cream, cake and coffee. The supper will be served from five o'clock until eight. The price will be fifty cents per plate.

Mrs. Mahler Long, who recently underwent an operation in the Mercy hospital, Portsmouth, is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Roscoe Beckler and children of Linwood, stopped in Portsmouth, Saturday.

WHEELERSBURG

The high school orchestra journeyed to McDermott high school last night and gave a concert before a well sized audience. Ralph Wood, who is in charge of the local orchestra, one of the best high school orchestras in this part of the state, was assisted in solo work by his brother Ray Wood of Otway high.

Mrs. Oscar Hunt and daughter, Leona, stopped in Portsmouth, Saturday.

Mrs. and Mrs. D. W. Vanhoose of Ridge Lane, will have as a guest this week, Mrs. Donald Preston and children of Welch, W. Va.

Mrs. Minerva Frazier, Mrs. K. D. B. Hellerderfer and Mrs. Norman Adams were business visitors to Columbus the first of the week.

NEW BOSTON

The members of the Loyal Women's Club of the Ohio Avenue Christian Church have announced a social and supper for Tuesday evening, March 27, in the basement of the church.

W. W. Greene has returned to his home in Sandy Hook, Ky., after visiting relatives and friends in New Boston.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. E. Delph have moved to their home, 4032 Rhodes Avenue, after visiting relatives and friends in Cincinnati.

The Tiffin Boosters will give a social dance this evening in Davis Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Zack Hale of Ohio Avenue are the parents of a son born Saturday, March 24.

Joseph Cornwell is ill with small pox at his home on Rhodes Avenue.

Mrs. Mary Morrison of the West spent Friday with her son and daughter in law Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morrison, Rhodes Avenue.

Mrs. S. E. Moore of Gallia Avenue, Mrs. J. H. Spencer of Dayton, and Mrs. J. H. Spencer of Dayton, Ohio, stopped in Portsmouth Saturday.

Style is our middle name

New Boston Style Shop

ALCOHOLISM CAUSE OF SUDDEN DEATH

Alcoholism is given as the cause for the sudden death of William Frazier, 34, who fell lifeless on the kitchen floor of the Edward Taylor home, 45 Gay street, about six o'clock Friday night. The verdict of Coroner Virgil Fowler following an autopsy held late last night was "death due to alcoholism."

This is the first case in Portsmouth to come under the new law which makes death via the alcoholism route a second degree murder case and one for the attention of officials. Before the passing of the new law such deaths did not come under the jurisdiction of the county coroner.

The big question now confronting the officials is, where or from whom did Frazier obtain his supply of liquor which resulted in his death? Coroner Fowler in testimony taken at the house last night, did not obtain any information that would throw light on the question, and further examination will be made of the man's friends in an effort to trace his movements yesterday to see if some information cannot be obtained as to the source of his liquor supply.

From evidence given by members of the Taylor family last night Frazier had been drinking heavily for several days and relatives had made an effort to sober him by making him drink strong coffee. Their efforts were of no avail for he was intoxicated most of the day yesterday and when he came to the Taylor home about six o'clock, managed to climb up three steps but after opening the door he was unable to proceed farther and fell into the kitchen across the threshold. Death probably came to the man while he was still lying on the floor. A short time afterwards Dr. T. C. Crawford arrived and found the man dead. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor had placed Frazier on a bed before the arrival of the physician. Mr. Taylor said he talked to Frazier but could get no answer from him.

According to Mr. and Mrs. Taylor, Frazier was groaning as if in terrible

pain when he fell to the floor as he attempted to get in the door. They also said that he had suffered with "the shakes," a severe shaking of the entire body which follows excessive moonshine drinking, and that on Thursday he was shaking so he could not lace his shoes.

Coroner Fowler hid the body moved to the Enrick-Rawson morgue and an examination of the body was made there by Coroner Fowler, Dr. Crawford and Dr. W. A. Quinn. They found the man had a "fatty" heart enlarged liver and greatly inflamed stomach, all of which were indications of heavy drinking. No evidence was found of wood alcohol and it is said that death was such that follows hard drinking of intoxicating liquor.

Frazier was only 34 years of age and for this reason the physicians sought the theory advanced by members of the Taylor family that death might have been caused by heart trouble. Frazier was born and reared in Greenup county, Ky., and had spent about ten years in Portsmouth. He was twice married. His first wife died and he was divorced from his second wife. For some time he made his home with his uncle, Jacob Burtrum of Mill street. For the past year and three months he had been with Mr. and Mrs. Taylor on Gay street. His father, William Frazier, lives in Kentucky, and his closest relative here is a sister, Mrs. Myrtle Holby of Second street. He also lives another uncle, M. Burtrum of this city.

Frazier and Taylor have been in the junk business for sometime and have been gathering paper and selling it for a living. They also hauled paper in several stores.

Only several days ago Frazier took out an insurance policy which he made payable to Taylor, the death claim as set forth in the policy amounting to \$200.

The body is being prepared for burial at the Enrick-Rawson mortuary.

Gas Explodes; Woman Burned

Mrs. Harriet Albertson of Gallia avenue, New Boston, was painfully burned about the arms, face and hands this morning when a collection of gas in the oven of her kitchen range exploded when she applied a match.

A leaky burner caused the trouble. Mrs. Albertson's waist caught fire, but she quickly smothered the flames.

Deal Means Six New Houses

Through a deal closed yesterday, Horace L. Small and Henry Gallenstein purchased six lots in the Traillon Addition from the

Bierley Realty company. They will have work started at once on six new houses to go up on their newly acquired lots.

All Are Invited To Bigelow Service

Every indication points to a crowded house at Bigelow church Sunday morning at nine o'clock, when Rev. George Wood Anderson, the evangelist, Walter Jenkins, the "Western" Songbird, and Bentley D. Ackley, the master of the piano, will have charge of a special service. Every class in the Bigelow Sunday school, with the exception of those in the primary department, will meet in the main auditorium.

and Rev. Mr. Anderson will have charge of the service right from the start.

Mr. Jenkins has consented to sing some of his best songs and will be accompanied by Mr. Ackley. Rev. Anderson will have a few words to say which will be of interest to all and will conduct the Sunday School service.

Arrangements are being made to take care of all who may come, and it is hoped to have a

seat for everyone. The officials and teachers of the Sunday School have been passing the word out that each class is expected to have a full representation, and a special invitation is given to all who may not feel they should go to attend Sunday School elsewhere to come and enjoy the hour.

The special service will start promptly at nine o'clock Sunday morning.

Open Paving Bids April 10

On April 10 the service department will open bids for the paving of Green street, 400 feet east of Sinton, Dowsen avenue from Seventeenth street to Sixteenth, and from Sixteenth street to Olinere, the alley

between Third and Fourth streets, east from Waller to Union, Cherry alley, west of Washington street and from Front to Second and the alley between Third and Fourth streets from Sinton to Waller.

Fascisti Premier Is A Keen Sportsman



Benito Mussolini

Benito Mussolini, the remarkable Fascisti Premier of Italy, shown in this exclusive photograph, is a keen sportsman, as well as athlete and horseman. He is also an experienced flier.

Market News

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Mar. 24.—Marked irregularity took place in the opening dealings in today's market. Further heaviness was noted in such recent favorites as Baldwin, Sinclair, Studebaker and New York Central while Missouri Pacific common and preferred, Producers and Refiners, American Smelting and Refining Steel improved fractionally on shore covering operations. Reynolds Spring dropped two points.

Selling pressure was most effective in the sugar, equipment, motor and chemical shares. Losses of 1 to nearly 2 points were registered by Corn Products, Punta Alegre sugar, Pullman, Studebaker, Bosch Magneto, Allied Chemical and International Harvester. Steel and Tube preferred advanced 1/2, most of the other initial changes being limited to fractions. Foreign exchanges opened easier, demand sterling falling below \$4.00 and French francs below 65 cents.

Encouraged by the lack of effective buying support, short interests continued to force recessions in prices in the brief session of the market. Sugar shares proved particularly vulnerable to selling pressure in view of the government investigation of sugar prices. Market heaviness also was shown by the motor and motor accessories. Losses of two to 3 1/2 points were registered by Stewart Warner Speedometer, General Asphalt preferred, Cuba Cane performed, Punta Alegre and Cuban American Sugar. Liquidation by pools gave impetus to the slump in prices. Independent strength was shown, however, by a few issues notably Bechtel, packing which crossed 70 1/2, a new high record for the year on a net gain of 5 1/2 points and California Petroleum which moved up a point in the face of heaviness in the other oils. The closing was heavy. Sales approximated 550,000 shares.

New York Stocks Closing Prices

American Car and Foundry 18 1/2
American Locomotive 12 1/2
American Smelting and Refining 64 1/2
American Sugar 78 1/2
American T. & M. 12 1/2
American Woolen 70 1/2
Anaconda Copper 41
Atchafalpa 10 1/2
A. H. Gulf and W. Indies 30 1/2
Baldwin Locomotive 130 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio 53 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 47 1/2
Central Leather 37
Chandler Motors 7 1/2
Chesapeake and Potomac 7 1/2
Chicago, M. & St. Paul 24 1/2
Chicago, M. & N. Y. 35 1/2
Chicago and N. W. 81
Corn Products 128 1/2
Crucible Steel 80 1/2
Famous Players-Lasky 87 1/2
General Asphalt 48 1/2
General Motors 14 1/2
Goodrich Co. 28 1/2
Hillside Central 115 1/2
Int. Mer. Marine 41 1/2
Kelsey-Springfield 70 1/2
Mexican Petroleum 250 1/2
Midvale Steel 30
New York Central 97 1/2
Northern Pacific 77 1/2
Norfolk and Western 112 1/2
Pan American Petroleum 79
Pennsylvania 46 1/2
People's Gas 10 1/2
Pure Oil 29 1/2
Reading 7 1/2
Rep. Iron and Steel 62 1/2
Royal Dutch N. Y. 50 1/2
Shucler Oil 30 1/2
Southern Pacific 92 1/2
Standard Oil of N. J. 40 1/2
Texas Co. 50 1/2
Tobacco Products 83 1/2
Union Pacific 14 1/2
United States Rubber 62 1/2
United States Steel 105 1/2
Utah Copper 72 1/2
Willys Overland 7 1/2

CLOSING PRICES, OHIO STOCK.

COLUMBUS, Mar. 24.—Cities Service common 1.80@1.85; do pfd 69 1/2 @70; Pure Oil 29 1/2.

Chicago Grain And Provisions

CHICAGO, Mar. 24.—With no aggressive buying in evidence, wheat showed a tendency to drop in price today during the early dealings. For the most part demand was confined to pit speculators. What purchasing there was for this class of traders appeared to be based chiefly on reports of alternate thawing and freezing of the soil in sections of the winter crop belt. Opening prices which varied from unchanged figures to 3/4 lower with May 1.20 1/2 to 1.20 3/4 and July 1.15 1/2 to 1.15 3/4, were followed by a slight setback all around.

Corn and oats were relatively firm owing to some degree to word that exporters were after corn to be shipped by way of Gulf of Mexico. After opening unchanged to 1/4 off May 75 1/2 to 75 3/4, the corn market scored slight general gains.

Corn closed easy at the same as yesterday's finish to 3/4 c lower with May 75 1/2 to 75 3/4.

Oats started a shade to 3/4 c higher May 44 1/2, but all deliveries showed a little advance.

Provisions eased down in line with the hog market.

The close was heavy 3/4 to 3/8 net lower May 1.10 1/2 to 1.20; July 1.14 1/2 to 1.15.

TOLEDO GRAIN

TOLEDO, Mar. 24.—Wheat cash 1.33 1/2 @ 1.35 1/2.

Corn 79 1/2 @ 81.

Oats 40 1/2 @ 42.

Rye No. 2, 35.

Barley 71.

Clover seed prime cash 12.40; March 12.40; Oct. 11.45.

Alfalfa prime cash 10.50; Mar. 10.50; Timothy prime cash and Mar. 5.40; May 5.45.

CHICAGO GRAIN REVIEW.

CHICAGO, Mar. 24.—Wheat: May 1.19 1/2; July 1.14 1/2; Sept. 1.13 1/2.

Corn: May 75 1/2; July 70; Sept. 77 1/2.

Oats: May 41 1/2; July 44 1/2; Sept. 42 1/2.

Pork: Blank.

Lard: May 11 7/8; July 11 1/2; Rib: May 10 7/8; July 10 1/2.

CINCINNATI GRAIN

CINCINNATI, Mar. 24.—Wheat 1.36 1/2 @ 1.37; Corn 78 1/2 @ 79; Oats 40 1/2 @ 41; Rye 35 1/2 @ 36; Hay 15.00 @ 16.00.

Potatoes: cabbages 2.00 @ 2.10 per 150 pounds; Red River early Ohio 2.10 @ 2.25 per sack 120 pounds; Michigan 2.10 @ 2.25; per 150 pounds; home grown 1.85 @ 2.05 per 150.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Mar. 24.—Hogs, receipts 12,000; steady to 1/2 lower; bulk desirable 170 to 210 pound averages 8.50 @ 8.75; top 8.50; bulk 225 to 300 pound butchers 8.10 @ 8.30; few packing 7.25 @ 7.50; common to choice pigs 6.50 @ 8.25; estimated hogs 8.00 @ 8.20; medium 8.10 @ 8.40; light 8.00 @ 8.50; light hogs 8.00 @ 8.50; packing sows smooth 7.00 @ 7.75; packing sows rough 7.15 @ 7.50; killing pigs 7.25 @ 8.25.

Cattle, receipts 10,000; compared with week ago, beef steer 10 to 15c lower; extreme top matured steers 10.25; weight 1,205 pounds, best yearlings 10.25; numerous loads beef steers and yearlings at high time 10.00 @ 10.15.

Sheep, receipts 5,000; compared with week ago, desirable weights, fat woolled lambs 25 @ 30; higher; choice heavy weights, around steady; extreme top weights around steady; clipped lambs steady to strong. Few yearling wethers and fat sheep steady to 25c higher; week's extreme top woolled lambs 15.50; closing top 15.25; bulk woolled lambs 14.00 @ 14.25; clipped mostly 11.75 @ 12.25; full grown up to 13.00 a week's high time; yearlings scarce; 87 pound averages 13.25; choice 109 pound ewes 14.00; bulk light wethers 8.25 @ 8.75; aged wethers mostly 8.25 @ 9.25; feeders scarce; yearling lambs mostly 14.50 @ 15.75.

CATTLE, RECEIPTS: steady; steers good to choice 7.50 @ 9.00; fair to good 6.50 @ 7.50; common to fair 4.50 @ 6.50; heifers good to choice 7.50 @ 9.00; fair to good 6.50 @ 7.50; common to fair 4.50 @ 6.50; cows good to choice 6.00 @ 7.50; fair to good 5.00 @ 6.00; common to fair 4.00 @ 5.00; calves good to choice 12.00 @ 13.50; fair to good 9.00 @ 12.00; common and large 5.00 @ 8.00.

Sheep, steady; good to choice 5.00 @ 6.50; fair to good 3.00 @ 5.00; common 2.00 @ 3.25; bucks 3.00 @ 4.00; sheared 1.50 @ 3.00. Lambs, steady; good to choice 14.50 @ 15.00; fair to good 12.00 @ 14.50; seconds 11.00 @ 12.00; common 6.00 @ 12.50; sheared 5.00 @ 12.50.

EAST BUFFALO

EAST BUFFALO, Mar. 24.—Cattle, receipts 12; steady. Calves receipts 600; 50c higher; 4.00 @ 5.50.

Hogs, receipts 3,200; slow; generally steady; pigs 5c lower; heavy 8.25 @ 8.75; mixed 8.75 @ 8.85; yearlings 8.00 @ 9.00; light yearlings 8.25 @ 9.00; pigs 8.00; roughs 7.25; stags 4.50 @ 5.50.

Sheep and lambs, receipts 1,200; steady; lambs 8.00 @ 15.25; yearlings 8.00 @ 14.25; wethers 9.50 @ 10.00; ewes 3.00 @ 9.00; mixed sheep 9.00 @ 9.50.

Produce Market

CLEVELAND, Mar. 24.—Eggs, Ohio firsts 24 1/2.

Poultry: live heavy fowls 30 to 32; roasters 35 @ 37; capons 25.

Potatoes: Michigan 2.20 @ 2.70. Others unchanged.

CINCINNATI PRODUCE

CINCINNATI, Mar. 23.—Produce market unchanged.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

CHICAGO, Mar. 24.—Butter: higher; creamery extras 51 1/2; standards 50; extra firsts 50 1/2; firsts 48 1/2 @ 49; seconds 47 1/2 @ 48.

Eggs: lower; receipts 32,722 cases; firsts 22 1/2 @ 23; ordinary firsts 21 1/2 @ 22; miscellaneous 22 1/2 @ 23.

GASOLINE AND ALCOHOL

CINCINNATI, Mar. 24.—Distilled alcohol in drums 36; gasoline tank wagon 21; 70 per cent 31.

LIBERTY BONDS.

NEW YORK, Mar. 24.—U. S. Government bonds closed: Liberty 3 1/2's 101 1/2; second 4's 97 1/2; first 4 1/2's 97 1/2; second 4 1/2's 97 1/2; third 4 1/2's 98 1/2; fourth 4 1/2's 97 1/2; victory 4 1/2's unquoted 100 1/2; U. S. Govt. 4 1/2's 98 1/2.

BANK STATEMENT

NEW YORK, Mar. 24.—The actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows a decrease in reserve of \$1,550,160. This is a decrease of \$1,152,170.

COFFEE

NEW YORK, Mar. 24.—Coffee, Rio No. 7, 12 1/2; futures firm; May 10.90; July 10.60.

COTTON

NEW YORK, Mar. 24.—Cotton spot quiet; middling 25.55. Cotton futures closed weak; May 28.57; July 28.50; Oct. 24.58; Dec. 24.42; Jan. 25.72.

SUGAR

NEW YORK, Mar. 24.—Sugar futures closed steady; approximate sales 25,000 tons; May 5.44; July 5.46; Sept. 5.50; Nov. 5.62.

Raw sugar market was unsettled today. Sugar was offered at 5 1/2c cost and freight equal to 7 1/2c for centrifugal. Raw futures were weak. Final prices 9 to 11 points net lower. Refined unchanged. Refined futures nominal.

Sell Property

The Bierley Realty company has sold F. W. Moulton's property at 4320 Gallia avenue to Verna Bierley of New Boston.

BENEFIT IN GOOD POSTURE

Does Away With Useless Expenditure of Energy and Favors Best Working of Bodily Organs.

Good posture is that posture of the body which best helps man to do his work day in and day out with no useless expenditure of energy, but with the best advantage to the action of the heart and lungs and all the rest of the organs of the body. Good posture is for a lifetime. Life is a test of endurance. Its length depends upon the ability of the internal organs to keep on working and to keep on working together.

Good posture must first favor the good working of the bodily organs, and it must do this at the least expenditure of effort, which, it must be remembered, costs a certain amount of organic labor to maintain.

Good posture shows vitality. Just as good posture helps vitality, so we know it when we see it, because we feel the power and strength that is behind it. The essentials of good posture are four—the high head, the high chest, the straight back and the flat abdomen. This is an attitude of power and confidence, an evidence of like repose. The arms are neutral, and hang naturally at the side without strain—Health Builder.

DEBT OWED TO WHITTIER

Poe's Writings Gave Valuable Assistance to a Large Number of Philanthropic Movements.

John Greenleaf Whittier, the Quaker poet, was born on a farm near Liverpool, Mass., in 1807, says the Portland News. He remained on the farm until he was nearly nineteen years old, dividing his time between field work and shoemaking. Whittier never forgot his connection with the "gentle craft" in early life, nor was he ever ashamed to own fellowship with his humble, but worthy members. What he thought of the craft itself and the plight of the men who have followed it may be learned from his lines addressed to shoemakers in the "Songs of Labor," published in 1850.

Whittier's vigorous, thrilling lines gave assistance to every philanthropic movement in the United States. For many years he was the Hans Sachs or Ebenezer Eliot of the Liberator's office. He gave to the work of emancipation in America that which the German gave to the cause of Protestantism on the continent of Europe, and the Englishman gave to the laborers of the antislavery league in Great Britain.

Moerish Women's Dull Lives. The Moerish woman's life is never very exciting or varied, and her many domestic duties lie her to the house. It is only on very special occasions that she is permitted to go out; many never go out at all. The lower-class women are sometimes forced to attend the markets, and are not so particular about covering their faces as the rules of their religion ordain. No strictly religious woman, however, will ever do that, but her husband or son for her face.

Some of the women are accomplished musicians and dancers, and sing to the accompaniment of their veiled native instruments. This is in most cases their only form of amusement. Some of them are also experts at weaving and making tapestry.

Moerish women are seen at their best in the country districts, where one sees them going to a well for water with their earthenware pitchers gracefully poised on their heads or shoulders.

Settlers Introduced Honey Bees. In reality all honey bees are wild, for they have been but little changed by man, both in structure and in habits.

SUNDAY SERVICES IN SCIOTO COUNTY CHURCHES--RELIGIOUS NEWS

EPISCOPAL

ALL SAINTS CHURCH
Corner of Fourth and Court Streets
Rev. E. A. Allen, Pastor
No early celebration of the Holy Communion.

Church School, 9:00 a. m.
Choral celebration of the Holy Eucharist, with Blessing and Distribution of Palm Crosses and Solemn Procession of the Palms, 10:30 a. m. At this service, the members of all Guilds and Societies in the parish are requested to make their corporate communion.

Evangelism and sermon, 7:00 p. m. Subject, "The Cross of Jesus." Let us have a large attendance on this first day of The Great Week, as Holy Week used to be termed.

The Confirmation Class for children will meet at 2:00 p. m.

Music For The Day

Morning
Prelude—In E flat Kinder
Choral Eucharist Stutz
Offertorium—Pastorale Baret
Solo—"Jerusalem" Henry Parker
Mrs. H. C. Bugh

Postlude—"The Palms" Faure

Evening
Prelude—Hymn Celeste Grey

Offertorium—Pensees Lointaines Borch

Solo—"The Palms" Faure

Postlude—"The Palms" Wachs

EVANGELICAL

FIRST EVANGELICAL

Fifth and Washington Streets

S. L. Henderson, Pastor

W. C. Hazelbeck, Superintendent of

Sunday School

Mrs. S. L. Rice, Organist

Sunday School at nine o'clock.

Will you be there? How many strangers have you invited to come with you?

Morning worship at ten-thirty.

Confirmation service. Subject of sermon: "Jesus At the Door."

Music

Prelude—Prologue Bohm

Anthem—Ride On In Majesty Lorena

Offertory—Intermezzo in E Major

Solo—"The Palms" Faure

Postlude—Hosanna Dubois

Evening worship at seven. Subject of sermon: "Pilgrims or Squatters?"

Reception of members.

Prelude—Prayer Ambrosio

Anthem—"The Day That Fixed My Choice" Creswell

Soloist—Mrs. Lorey

Offertory—Andante Wilson

Solo—Close To Thee Briggs

Mrs. Wm. H. Torres

Postlude—Alma Marica Sheppard

Junior League at one-thirty. Topic: "League At Six-Fifteen. Topic: Educational Missions at Home and Abroad. Leader, Miss Lillian Glus."

METHODIST

MANLY M. E. CHURCH

C. W. Brady, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:00 a. m.

Mainly went over the top with her quota last Sunday. Let us all be our own selves and do like wise the coming Sunday. There is an inspiration in numbers. Come on and let be inspired Sunday morning.

Rev. J. B. Hawk will have charge of the preaching service, beginning at 10:15. A follow up service meeting will begin Tuesday evening and continue each evening until Easter when we are expecting to receive a large class into membership.

TERMINALS M. E. CHURCH

Poplar Street, East Portsmouth

R. S. Babsiger, Pastor

Sunday School at 9:15. Miss

Margie Warner, superintendent.

Sunday School sermon by the pastor.

The epidemic of flu, measles, and small pox reduced our attendance greatly. Let us try to build it back up now that the epidemic has about disappeared. You come and bring some one else.

Junior League at 1 o'clock. Miss

Hazel Massie, superintendent. Let all the boys and girls come. Don't forget to bring your Bible or Testament.

Let as many of our people as possible attend the afternoon meeting at the Universal Garage. Sunday is the last day of the big Crusade meetings. Don't miss these last services. No evening service at the church. Everybody go to the Crusade meeting.

Our revival meeting will begin next Wednesday and continue to Sunday, April 8th. We plan to have a big chorus choir and special music every night. Services each night at 7 o'clock except Saturday. Every night will be a special night. Everybody get in the spirit of the revival and help. Begin now to pray and work for a revival that will bring many into the kingdom.

FRANKLIN AVENUE M. E.

C. E. Severinghaus, Pastor

This being the quarterly review

Sunday there will be but one combined service, from 9:00 to 10:30.

The Pastor will address the adult department of the school in the main auditorium of the church. There will be no further service for the day.

Music

Prelude—Shepherd's Idyl—A. Gobel

Meditation—Hymns with chimes.

Anthem—Choir.

Solo—Miss Esther Severinghaus.

Postlude—Marche Pontificale—Gounod.

There will be special Passion Week services, the Pastor preaching each evening of next week, excepting Saturday, services beginning at 7:15. The public is cordially invited.

TRINITY METHODIST

EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Sunday school will meet at 9

a. m. and will use the story, "Review: Jesus the World's Savior." All

the teachers should make an effort to

secure the attendance of their

pupils, and those who are not in the

Preparatory Class are invited to be

come members of it.

At the morning worship at 10:30

o'clock, the pastor will preach upon

"A Short-Lived Eucharism." Two

very inspiring soloists are to assist

us in this service. Mrs. Eleanor

Walker Mackey, a friend of Mrs. J.

Vaughan Mackey, will sing "How

Lovely Are Thy Dwellings," by Liddle.

Mrs. Finney will play her accompaniment. Mr. Glen De Brulin

will sing "Savior Keep Me Through The Day," by Wolcott, and Mrs. McCorkle will be the accompanist.

The organ numbers by Mrs. J. Albert McCorkle will be:

Prelude—"The Palms"—Faure.

Offertory—"Meditation"—Ravely.

Keach.

Postlude—"Jerusalem"—Parker.

The afternoon and evening services

will be held at the garage, and will

afford our people an opportunity

not only to enjoy the services, but

to make a contribution in appreciation

of the work of Dr. George Wood

Anderson and his assistants. Mr. Jenkins and Mr. Ackley. Envelopes

will be circulated Sunday morning to

contain this offering.

The pastor announces that there

will be services in the main auditorium

of the church on Monday; Wednesday

and Friday evenings, in the

observance of Passion week, and Dr.

W. H. Nell of the Commission of

Worship and Advance will speak

on Monday evening. These three

services will commence at 7:30 p. m.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL

5725 Gallia Ave., Sciotoville Sta.

Preston A. Cross, Minister

9:00 a. m. Sunday school, superintendent, Carl Rebs. A well organized

school with classes for all grades. Men's class invite all the men.

Sermonette by the pastor.

10:00 a. m. Morning worship—

Palm Sunday. Sermon by the pastor.

Reception of members. Solo by Mr. J. Higginbotham, "The Palms."

6:15 Epworth League. Leader,

Miss L. Dymre. A live league—a

training school for the young.

7:00 p. m. Evening service. Sermon

by Rev. W. H. Nell, D. D. of Chicago. Foreign Missionary Board.

You will want to hear this noted

speaker. Special anthem by the choir.

Prayer meeting every Wednesday

evening at 7:00.

Junior meeting every Wednesday

at 6:30 p. m.

The church where you feel at home.

Come and bring your friends.

BIGELOW M. E. CHURCH

Rev. C. E. Chandler, Pastor

Sunday school at 9 a. m. The hour

will be under the direction of Dr.

George Wood Anderson, Mr. Jenkins

and Mr. Ackley. A general invitation

is extended to those who do not

attend Sunday school elsewhere to

worship with us.

Morning worship, 10:30 a. m. Dr.

W. H. Nell will speak on Evangelism

and will answer many questions

raised by our great century.

The afternoon and evening hours

will be spent in the final services of

the New Crusade.

Music for the Day:

Prelude—Meditation—Lemaire

Offertory—Folk Song—Nicole.

Postlude—"The Palms."

Quartet—"Sanctus" from St. Cecilia—Gounod.

Anthem—"I Know That the Lord Is Great"—Hull.

VALLEY CHAPEL

Geo. H. Weaver, Pastor

10 a. m. Sunday School. Howard

Rapp, Supt.

11 a. m. Public Worship. Sermon by the Pastor, Remembering Palm Sunday.

Wednesday evening, Church night. Prandise service at 7 p. m. Study hour in Pastor's home. Class and teacher training at 7:30. All are welcome. Thursday evening at home of Mrs. A. B. Weaver, the monthly social of

MILLER'S RUN CHURCH

Geo. H. Weaver, Pastor

9:30 Sunday School. Geo. Widdig,

Supt.

2:30 Public Worship. Sermon by the Pastor, "Behold Your King."

LUCASVILLE M. E. CHURCH

Geo. H. Weaver, Pastor

8:45 Sunday School. Carl Appel,

Supt.

9:45 Public Worship. Sermon by the Pastor, "Behold Your King."

7 p. m. Evening Service. Subject: "The Traitor's Whine."

McDERMOTT-MINFORD

J. A. Brett, Pastor

One sunny afternoon in 1916 a

torrent ten feet high and one-fourth

mile wide came rushing down Santa

Cruz river which had been practically

dry an hour before. It came near to

washing out the abutment of the long

bridge over the Rio Grande at Es-

panola, N. Mexico. It was the first

appraisal to the inhabitants that there

had been an awful storm up among

those old New Mexico mountains.

The sudden and unexpected surely

opens our eyes.

"A Great City Surprised," will be

the theme for Sunday.

BLUE RUN—Morning worship 8:45.

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

MINFORD—Sunday school 9:30 a. m.

Morning worship 10:30.

McDERMOTT—Sunday school 9:30.

Epworth League 6:15 p. m.

Evening worship 7:00 p. m.

Dr. Perry O. Hanson, for twenty

years a missionary in China, will

speak at McDermott church Monday,

March 26 at 7 p. m. Public cordially

invited.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the

church Thursday 1 p. m. Special

features. All members urged to be

present.

MISSION

HASTING HILL MISSION

Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Ed-

ward Smith, superintendent.

Preaching Sunday evening at 6:30

by C. S. Pison.

Bible study Saturday evening at

6:30.

PRESBYTERIAN

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Third and Court Streets

Wm. H. Gleaser, Minister

Sermons for the Day

Sunday morning at ten-thirty the

pastor will speak on the subject,

"The Shout of a King." In the evening

at seven the subject will be

"Making Christ King."

Music for the Day

Morning—

Prelude—"The Palms"—Faure.

Offertory—Adagio Cantabile—Reel-

hoven.

Postlude—March—Kern.

Anthem—"Sing Alleluia Forth"—

Dudley Buck.

Solo—"The Lord of the Ages"—

Holt—Mrs. O. J. Deltzer.

Evening—

Prelude—Calvary—Rodney.

Offertory—Canzonella—Fryfinger.

Postlude—San Fere Marche—Dig-

gle.

Anthem—"Four Not O Israel"—

Spicker.

Solo—"Hold Thou My Hand"—

Hollen—Mr. Karl Kappas.

Educational—

Bible School, 9:30 a. m. Mr. Wm.

H. Schwartz, superintendent.

Mr. Maurice A. Coe, teacher of

Men's Class.

Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN

Highland and Waller

Hugh Evans, Minister

Palm Sunday

Morning theme: "The Children of the King." Matt. 21:15, 16.

desiring to unite with our church either by letter, statement, or profession of faith, will have an opportunity at any of these services by speaking to the minister or any of the officers.

Musical Program

Mrs. Clyde L. Kneest, Organist

Morning Service:

Prelude—"The Holy City"—Adams.

Anthem—"Palm Branches"—Faure.

Junior Chorus—Misses Mary Dun-

Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Dolly—I have worked for a long time and saved to get my little dress for Easter and just got it Thursday, the 21st, and on my way home, between Second street and the Terminal, I lost it. I have been unable to work for a long time and had to save every penny I had to get the dress. I had an ad in the paper, but whoever found the dress must have overlooked it as they did not return it to me. Dolly, it has made me and my little girl sick to lose her Easter dress, and I am sure whoever found it would give it to her if they knew she needed it so badly. I have no one to support me and I feel sure the finder will return the dress when they read this letter. It was a taffeta and had my name on the bill inside of the dress. I am sending name and phone number to you in case they lost the address in the package.

Dear Dolly—I would like to have a definite and correct answer to this question: In a basket ball game if the time keeper blows the whistle for time but the referee and players do

not hear him and continue to play until a field goal is made, does the point count? When is the ball supposed to be in play or out of play? When the time keeper blows the whistle or when the referee blows the whistle? DOLLY KNOWS.

Dear Dolly—I am going with a girl 15 and I am 23. Dolly, do you think I am too old for her? She wants to marry me but her parents do not want me to marry her as they say I cannot keep her. Now, Dolly, I can keep her, if that is the only excuse they have, so give me some of your advice.

Dear Dolly—I am a young girl and like all the rest of them, I have a lover, but I hear he is slipping from me and going with another girl every chance he gets. Once he told me he liked me but I think that was just a puff of wind. I still love him if he loves me. What would you do about it?

Dear Dolly—I am an old lady and do not get out much and I would like a little help from you. Dolly, I want to get some papering done and I don't know how to locate a paper hanger. I heard there was a woman living at the Terminal and one at New Boston who did papering but I don't know who they are and I thought if you knew you might tell them about me or me about them. It is only a small job and the men are too busy to bother with it.

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TIMES SERVICE PATTERN

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A SMART BLOUSE IN "COAT" STYLE

4238. Figured silk and satin are here combined. One could use crepe and georgette or make the blouse of one material with a finish of stitching, binding or piping.

The pattern is cut in 7 sizes: 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. A 35 inch size requires 3 yards of 36 inch material. To trim as illustrated will require 1-2 yard of contrasting material 40 inches wide.

Pattern mailed to any address on receipt of 10c in silver or stamps and 2c extra for postage.

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SOCIAL NEWS

Mrs. John D. Littlejohn of Twentieth street has had as guests for a few days her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Giles of Grayson, Ky., who are returning from a honeymoon trip. They left this afternoon for Grayson, where they will make their future home.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Bethel M. E. church held a very interesting meeting Thursday afternoon at the County Infirmary, with Mrs. Clarence Johnson as the hostess. There was a large number present as this was the first meeting for several weeks, owing to so much sickness among the members. The afternoon was spent socially and in planning for future work of the society. Before adjournment a delicious refreshment course was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Tingle of Eighteenth street motored to Cambridge, Ohio, this morning, where they will spend the week-end with relatives and friends.

Mr. Avery Branner of Ninth street was called to Marysville, Ky., this morning by the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. W. T. Branner, who is at the point of death.

Mrs. Philomena Henkle, linotype operator at the Times office, is confined to her home, 1144 Third street, by illness.

Thursday, April 5th, is the date which has been announced for the wedding of Miss Sara Whitaker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Whitaker, prominent residents of Wheeling, W. Va., who are well known in this city, and Mr. Lawrence Woodward Franzheim, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Franzheim, also of Wheeling. Rev. R. E. L. Strider of the St. Matthew's Episcopal church will perform the ceremony at five o'clock in the evening at the home of the bride's parents in Cecil Place. Following the ceremony the young couple will depart for an extended wedding trip and upon their return will reside in West Liberty, Ohio.

Postmaster and Mrs. R. S. Williams of Oak Hill have concluded a visit to Portsmouth relatives and friends.

Mrs. Philomena Henkle, linotype operator at the Times office, is confined to her home, 1144 Third street, by illness.

Mrs. and Mrs. Nobel Black of Sciotoville are the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold D. Martin, of 1222 Twelfth street.

Guyardotte Club Coffee, a combination of the finest coffee grown.

For Delco Light PLANTS AND PRODUCTS See H. E. McCurdy

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JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES

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Four ounces —an honest quarter pound of

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The members of the Woman's Literary Club held one of the most enjoyable meetings of the season last evening at the handsome home of Mrs. Harry A. Schirman. Eighth and Chillicothe streets. In extending the hospitality of the evening, Mrs. Schirman was graciously assisted by Miss Alice Treutheit, Miss Lizzie Neil and Mrs. Lydia Rowe.

Following the business meeting, Mr. Samuel Wise gave an interesting and instructive talk on his trip to Egypt, Palestine and the Holy Land. He supplemented his talk with pictures, relics and curios which he picked up on his trip.

Following his talk Mrs. Albert Marting read a splendid paper entitled, "Is The Repeal of the Volstead Act Possible?" The paper was very comprehensive and instructive and showed that a great deal of thought had been given to the subject.

The remainder of the evening was given over to the musical program and the members were very fortunate in having with them two very fine artists from the Cincinnati College of Music, Mrs. Margaret Quinn Finney and a school friend, Mrs. Elizabeth Walker Mackay. Mrs. Mackay is a gold medal graduate of the College of Music and president of the A. S. A. I. Sorority. She has an exquisite mezzo soprano voice and sang beautifully two groups of songs. The first group included "The Land of Sky Blue Water," by Cadman; "Oh Mournful Lips," by Sibella; "Mighty Lak a Rose," by Nevins. She was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Finney, who later gave a superb performance of "Rigoletto Fantasia," by Liszt.

Mrs. Mackay's second group of songs were "At Dawning," by Cadman; "I Know How To Tie Ribbon Bows," is a charming old French song, whose author is unknown; and "A Birthday," by Woodman.

The delightful evening was brought to a close with the serving of delicious punch and wafers by Mrs. Schirman and her assistant hostesses.

The next meeting of the club will be held on Thursday, April 6th, in the K. of P. Hall. This will be guest day and an unusually fine program is being arranged for the occasion.

Miss Cora Swabby, who has been ill at her home on Highland avenue for the past two weeks, is improving.

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Additional Church News

CHRISTIAN FIRST CHURCH
Corner Third and Gay Streets
Gerald Culbertson, Minister
C. M. Howard, Supt.
Bible School at 9:00 o'clock. This is Unusual Day in the school. Women will constitute the entire executive and teaching force. Singing Evangelist David Hughes and Mrs. Hughes will be present to open the Pre-Easter Campaign. There will be some novel and stirring features in the big program scheduled for tomorrow. In the awakening enthusiasm of Portsmouth Sunday Schools First Christian will not fall in leadership. The Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning worship hour, 10:30. The minister's message will be given on the subject: "Awakening Disciples: Arousing the Church."

Young People's United meeting at First Baptist Church, 5:45 p. m. Further services of the day will be at the Universal Garage building in the New Crusade.

Everyone is invited to all the services.

OHIO AVENUE CHRISTIAN
W. L. Huffman, Minister.
Bible School, 9 a. m. J. C. Harris, Supt.
Preaching by the Pastor, 10:30 a. m. and 7:15 p. m. Subject Sunday evening, "Knowledge and Love." Our revival meeting will begin April 8th. We are glad to note our Bible School is growing in numbers and interest. We had 23 in our Men's Bible Class last Sunday. We hope to have double that next Sunday. Better come and be one of our number, had you not? We are counting on fifty in our Men's Bible class by Easter. Come!

GRANDVIEW CHURCH OF CHRIST
Cor. Grandview and Robinson
O. H. Gast, Minister
Bible school at 9 a. m. The lesson is found in "First Corinthians 15."

Palm Sunday At St. Mary's Church
Tomorrow, Palm Sunday, the beginning of Holy Week, will be observed at Saint Mary's church with a low Mass at seven-thirty o'clock followed by a high Mass at nine-thirty. Communion will be given at first Mass while the blessing and distribution of palms will take place at the High Mass. The Passion of Jesus Christ will be read at both services.

The church has been appropriately decorated for the event and special music has been arranged by the choir. Both services will be in charge of Rev. T. A. Goebel.

HOLY WEEK AT ALL SAINTS' CHURCH
Palm Sunday—Church School at 9:00 a. m. Choral Eucharist, with Procession of the Palms and distribution of Palm Crosses, 10:30 a. m. Evensong 7:00 p. m.
Monday in Holy Week—Holy Communion 9:00 a. m. Devotional service, 7:30 p. m.
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Adventures Of The Twins

BY OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

NANCY and Nick had lots of fun helping the Scrap Picture Shepherdess on her pretty little farm.

Nick milked the cows and Nancy gathered the eggs and fed the pigs and helped to watch the sheep.

"They felt ever so much better after their exercise, and the pigs had gotten from eating too many goodies disappeared altogether."

"Now I'll tell you the way to the Cut-Out Lady's house," said the Shepherdess.

"Go to the right as far as you can see, then on turn to the left," said the Shepherdess, "and you'll come to the Muffin Man's house. He'll tell you which way to go after that. Goodbye and thanks ever so much for helping me."

"We are Nancy and Nick," said Nancy, "and we've come to ask you our way."

"I'll tell you gladly," said the Muffin Man. "But wait a minute. I see someone coming so I must sing."

And he began:
"Hot cross buns, hot cross buns, One a penny, two a penny, Hot cross buns. If you have no daughters, Feed them to your sons. One a penny, two a penny, Hot cross buns!"

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(By E. L. SCHUSKY)
The dead line of life," described by Evangelist George Wood Anderson last night as "the unpardonable sin" was the basic fact upon which he built a most powerful sermon in which he made an earnest plea for sinners to free their souls of sin and accept the love of God before it is too late and before they cross "the dead line" which is reached before one reaches the close of life.

That the sermon had real effect was shown by the large number who came forward at the close of the service on invitation of Dr. Anderson. It was the greatest night of all as far as converts were concerned. Not only did the truths of the sermon bring them forward but many came as the result of personal prayers and of the ministrations of laymen and others who came forward on previous nights and are endeavoring to bring their way by bringing others to Christ at this revival meeting. As the New Crusade campaign draws to a close the number of converts is expected to increase with a banner number going forward Sunday night.

The service will be a climax to all held by Evangelist Anderson and his party. The last scheduled service is tonight, Sunday afternoon and night. The tabernacle is not expected to hold them tomorrow night and those who wish to get a seat are urged to come early.

There was much rejoicing on behalf of the finance committee last night when it was announced that the budget of near \$5000 had been raised through the collections taken at every meeting. Rev. C. E. Seeringhaus, pastor of Franklin Avenue church, made the announcement that the total sum needed had been raised and that on Sunday afternoon and evening, collections would be taken for Dr. Anderson and his wife. Envelopes were passed out last night for the contributions that men, women and children wish to make the evangelist. Checks may be sent to Treasurer Frank Kiefer at the Central National bank or to George Vandervort, chairman of the finance committee.

In his sermon last night, based on the text, "The blasphemy against the Holy Ghost shall not be forgiven unto men," Dr. Anderson said, "There is an unpardonable sin, a sin whose effect cannot be overcome even by the grace of God because it destroys everything in the soul that makes it possible for it to receive the Holy Spirit." That message in itself was plain enough to show to sinners that they can go too far and that if they cross the dead line there is no hope for them.

Dr. Anderson used for illustration last night the bud of an Easter lily which was on the platform. He cut from the plant a bud and with it portrayed the facts of his sermon. He compared the plant with the soul of God, showing how it furnished life to the bud and how God furnishes life to every soul. "As this flower needs sun and your body needs food, so your soul must have God," said Dr. Anderson who added, "there is a line over which the bud passed and cannot return and the same applies to the soul."

"There is a sin that not only severs us from God but destroys the capacity for even receiving the grace of God within it. God loves and longs to save but sin does the soul no good. It is a sin that is beyond redemption, said the evangelist.

The final plea made by Dr. Anderson was "Do not reject the blessings which God in tender love extends towards you today. To reject God's offers of love is the worst of all sins because it is a sin against love which is not only the greatest thing in the world but in the universe for God is love."

THE SERMON
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Text: "The blasphemy against the Holy Ghost shall not be forgiven unto men." Matt. 12:31

There is a line across which if a man passes he can never forgive, because blighting power utterly destroys the soul's capacity for spiritual life.

Here growing upon this ported plant is an unpurged bud. Within its shielding sepals are petals of more exquisite weave than any silk scarf; pollen, yellow as spun gold, and chalice of perfume rich and rare as ever adorned the tables of a queen. It has within it the possibilities of the same unfolded beauty possessed by the blossoms growing at its side and whose loveliness charms our souls. Within this bud are not only the possibilities of perfect loveliness, but of ripe maturity with fertile seeds that may grow and bud and blossom to brighten years that you and I may never live to see; but these possibilities of this bud shall never be realized for with this knife I sever it forever from the stem. It is cut off from the source which supplies it with the currents of life. For this bud now there is nothing but death, for the warmth of my hand is already causing it to fade and wither.

That is what any sin does to the soul. Like a keen-edged knife the smallest sin severs the soul from God who alone furnishes the rich currents of spiritual life that makes possible the growth of the soul. Sin cuts off the soul from God. You may be a moral man physically, and a successful business man, but you cannot have a clean soul with which to face God. As this flower needs sun, and your body needs food, so your soul must have God, whom sin separates from you.

You ask, even if the bud be severed can you do something to prolong its life? Certainly I can. I can place it in this glass of water where its thirsty veins may absorb strength with which to break open its waxy

sealed sepals and unfold its beauty into something like it might have been. I can save it from instant death. I can prolong its life, but no matter what I do for it the bud can never be what it might have been and what it would have been had I not severed it from the plant.

God can do more for the sinner than I can do for this bud. The victim of sin can yield himself to God, and God will lift him up out of the dust into which he has fallen and through the merits of Christ's death engrain him upon the stem that the Spirit of God may fill him again. The sinful soul need not be lost. He can again feel the life-giving power of God flowing through him, but though Christ can save and cleanse one will never be what he might have been had he not been touched by evil. God can save a man and make of him a new man, but he will always carry the marks of his sin.

A young lad complaining because he was denied the privilege of indulging in certain sins, was requested by his father to drive a nail in a soft pine board. The boy did as he was commanded. "Now pull the nail out," With a smile of confidence the lad pulled the nail from the soft fibres of the wood and said: "There! that's easy." "Now pull the nail-hole out," The lad found that while you might undo some things it is impossible to remove the results of the rash act. Christ can remove the sin, but some of the results remain. This bud that I hold in my hand will never be what it might have been because it was severed from the source of its supply.

The "Dead Line" of Life
But there is a line across which this bud may not pass beyond the possibility of restoration. This cannot be possible in the world of matter because matter is indestructible. The waste heaps are often our treasure chests. Out of soiled rags we make the whitest of writing paper. Out of the junk heaps men build battle ships whose iron-bound sides resist the cannon's shot. While standing in a laboratory examining a cup of solid gold fashioned in rare pattern, a young man suddenly let the treasure slip from his grasp and it fell into a tank of acids that instantly dissolved it. Filled with remorse for his carelessness, the young man exclaimed: "What a calamity! Not only have I injured the cup but the gold itself is lost." Unmoved by the accident the scientist took another chemical and poured it into the tank where the cup had disappeared, when lo! to the amazement of the sorrowing lad he found the gold forming a solid plate in the bottom of the tank, ready to be fashioned into a more beautiful cup than ever. Out of the depth came back the scattered wealth.

One day when George Whitefield was standing in the London tabernacle preaching to a great multitude, he said: "The Lord Jesus will save even the devil's castaways." Two poor, sinful women who were standing before the portal afraid to enter the house of God heard him say: "That must mean us." They gave their hearts to God and one of them wrote Mr. Whitefield a note. That evening while in the home of Lady Huntington, one of the guests said: "Mr. Whitefield, did you not go a little too far to-day when you said that the Lord would gladly take and freely save even the devil's castaways?" In reply to the inquiry, Mr. Whitefield handed the letter to Lady Huntington and requested her to read it aloud as his answer. The message was as follows: "Mr. Whitefield: Two poor lost women stood outside your tabernacle to-day and heard you say that the Lord would save even the devil's castaways. We seized upon that as our last hope and we write you this to tell you that we now rejoice in believing in Him and from this hour we shall endeavor to serve Him who has done so much for us."

No Limit to God's Power
There is no limit to the power of God to save and the glory of the church is that every minister can stand upon the city streets and proclaim to every bewildered sinner that "Jesus saves even the devil's castaways." There is only one limit and that is the sin that cannot be known in the inanimate, material world but is a terrible reality in the spiritual realm. There is a line across which life cannot pass and even hope to return again.

I will drop this promising bud on the floor and step upon it, thus: The moment that my foot rested upon it there is no chance for its recovery. The glass of water is here to revive it, the plant is here with its life-giving power, but these amount to nothing for the severed bud has lost the power to receive these blessings. This plant is filled with life-giving power, but the bud cannot revive it, not because the plant withholds from the bud but because the bud has lost the ability to receive. That is what we mean by the unpardonable sin. There is a sin that not only severs us from God but destroys the capacity for even receiving the grace of God within it.

We must remember that it is not because God does not love that soul, for God does love it with all His boundless, measureless love. It is not because God refuses to offer his pardoning grace for the invitation is as full and as broad as love can make it. Whosoever will may come. It is not because God has not done everything within his power to save the soul, for God has made every possible provision for his salvation.

Sparks From The Anvil Of Geo. Wood Anderson

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You can drive a nail in a board and pull it out but you cannot cure the scar and make it as good as it was.

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The secret sin in life is a cancer that will eat out the soul, but God can cleanse it and make that soul white as snow.

God is willing, Christ knocks at your heart's door, but you lose the power to receive.

You can go on sinning until something dies within you and you cannot come back.

The unpardonable sin may be breaking any of the Commandments or all of them, but it is no particular one of them.

No gentleman will ever swear.

There is a sensitiveness in the soul that if a man refuses to listen to the pleadings of Christ it becomes calloused and he cannot come back.

There is an unpardonable sin—a sin whose effect cannot be overcome even by the grace of God because it destroys everything in the soul that makes it possible for it to receive the Holy Spirit. God loves and longs to save, but the sin has done to the soul what I did to this bud, so that it is incapable of receiving life.

To life is to lose self respect and the respect of others, and yet that sin can be forgiven. Abraham tied to the Egyptians and was forgiven of God. Jacob lied to his father and was forgiven, and the disciple who swore that he knew not the suffering Christ became a mighty worker for righteousness.

To steal is to suffer disgrace, yet that sin can be forgiven, for the dying thief upon the cross found Christ's pardoning power.

To take the holy name of God lightly upon the lips to be guilty of profanity is to commit the most heinous sin that it is possible for man to commit, yet that sin, with its soul-polluting power, can be forgiven, as was Simon Peter after he had cursed the ones who questioned him concerning Jesus. The sin of profanity can be forgiven and the blasphemer may become reverent.

Adultery is often referred to as the "matrimonial sin." Far worse than leprosy is the blight it brings to the human soul, and yet as degrading as it is—as fearful as its consequences—it can be forgiven. The most beautiful picture in Holy writ is that of the poor woman who, taken in the act of adultery was thrown contemptuously at the feet of Jesus. Beholding her "self-righteous" accusers, ready to stone the poor girl to death, he bade them to go ahead and carry out their threat, but suggest that the one who had never committed sin should first throw a stone. Finding that under those conditions, no man had courage to accuse her, he forgave her sin and bade her go to live a life of spotless purity. Adultery may be forgiven and the impure may become pure.

The Royal Murder
Even murder can be forgiven. To commit adultery, King David had Uriah slain in battle, and though his brow was adorned with gold and his body clad with the robes of royalty, he was a murderer. But God forgave him when he bowed before him weeping his bitter tears and true repentance.

Paul consented to the death of Stephen and held the garments of the young man who stoned that first Christian martyr. The blood of many people was upon his hands and soul the day that he knelt amid the dust of the Damascus highway, crying: "Lord, what wilt Thou have me to do?" But God forgave him.

Murderers can be saved, for Jesus prayed for those who were killing him. Men may be guilty of many sins, as was Peter, who not only denied his Lord but lied and blasphemed during his disloyal deed. Paul was a blasphemer, a persecutor and a murderer, but the blood of Jesus Christ cleansed him from all his sin, so that he was not afraid to die, but could look confidently toward his own martyrdom, saying: "I am now ready to be offered up, and the time of my departure is at hand. I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness which the righteous Judge shall give me, and not to me only but to all those who love His appearing."

What is the unpardonable sin? It is not so much a commandment that you break as it is an attitude that you assume toward Jesus Christ. It is the grieving of God's Holy Spirit by continually refusing to accept Jesus as your Lord and Savior. By refusing to follow the good impulses of your heart you cease to have those impulses repeated and you go on from sin to sin without sorrow or remorse.

By refusing to listen to the voice of conscience you can stifle her voice and keep her from speaking to you. By constantly rejecting the Lord Jesus Christ as your own personal Savior you can destroy the power to receive Him. God is not mad for He is love, and Christ has not turned away. He desires to save, but you have destroyed the ability to receive Him. As I crushed this bud under my foot and destroyed all possibility of it ever living again, so you can trample your spiritual nature beneath your sinfulness until it is so dead that you can no longer feel it. The unpardonable sin is the result of a stubborn will that refuses the pleadings of God's spirit and rejects the Lord Jesus, until there is no life left within.

Man Perishes in Spite of God
No man perishes because God wants him to perish, a man goes to hell in spite of God. From the mo-

ment that we came into the world, the Lord Jesus has been at our side. You never swore an oath that Jesus did not place the fingers of His restraining love upon your lips and before you could utter the oaths you had to push His fingers away. You never had an ill-feeling toward another and tried to do him harm without feeling the restraining power of Christ, and to do the evil you had to defy His holy influence. You never took a drink of liquor without pushing back the hand of Jesus Christ who pleaded with you to be a sober man. You never took that which did not belong to you, you never told a lie, you never broke the Sabbath day, you never dishonored your parents without resisting the Holy Spirit of God. God is doing all He can to make a man out of you, but a stubborn will can offset all these powers and drag you down, for one can resist God so long that he loses the power to respond to the call of God.

How can a man commit this unpardonable sin? I will show you. Why do you not become a Christian just now? It is because of some sin which you do not want to give up. You expect to give it up some day but you do not care to do so just now. That sin is more to you than Jesus Christ. He offers to clean up your heart and give you something worth while to live for, but He does not appeal to you. You would rather be a sinner than a Christian and so you say, "No" to your friend and "No" to God, and you would rather have your pet sin than have Jesus. That is the way to commit the unpardonable sin—just keep on as you are now doing.

But you say: "I am going to accept Christ some day." I shall stop rejecting Him until I decide my soul and cannot become Godly." How do you know that you will? How do you know when you are crossing the dead-line? I deliberately cut off this bud and you saw it severed from the stem. I deliberately crushed it beneath my feet and you realized what I was doing; but the unpardonable sin is not committed that way. It is the gradual deadening of the heart. You can reject the Holy Spirit more easily now than you once did. It will be easier the next time and still easier the following time. You are all the time destroying the power to ever become a Christian and some day you may cross this dead line and never realize it. There will be no upheaval of your nature, no feeling of awe, you will be as unconcerned as you are now and will never realize what you have done.

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Aisles Choked With Converts As Evangelist Gives Invitation

(By F. W. Sheridan)

With 6,000 eyes focused on the white pine platform, and with as many ears cupped so as not to miss a single word of the message, Dr. George Wood Anderson, the ablest crusader of them all, discussed that much-mooted topic, "The Unpardonable Sin," at the big garage on Gallia street last evening, and when he concluded his discourse there was not a solitary person in that great throng but who understood and understood perfectly, so clear was the reasoning and so logical were the conclusions. While that question has split many a church from pulpit to exit, while it has been the bone of contention among religious people from the days of the early church, Dr. Anderson handles it in such a masterful manner that he made it clear as A. B. C's. And while he made it clear, he placed such a burden upon his hearers that when he gave the invitation, the aisles of the tabernacle seemed to be choked with those seeking solace in the convert section. More than 200 came, and they came silently, and with determination stamped upon their faces. They had seen their duty, they knew what they had to do if they wanted to play fair and nothing could stop them. It was a great night all around, showing that as the crusade approaches the end, the interest climbs like the thermometer on an August day. The old saying "Friday is always the fastest or the foulest" held true last night. Many there were who were fearful that the attendance would drop off to some extent, but practically every seat was taken and there was an air about the whole affair that presaged much good. For one thing the last cent for current expenses was raised, and when it becomes known that the expense budget totalled at least \$5,000, it will be readily seen that it takes no imagination on the part of any-

one to see the crusade was a success and that the crusaders were out to win. The one thing that new remains is the gifts of appreciation to be presented to Dr. Anderson on the last day, Sunday afternoon and evening. Rev. Charles Seeringhaus, pastor of the Franklin Avenue Methodist church, had the platform early in the service and he called upon the people to show their appreciation of Dr. Anderson and his party in a most substantial way. Envelopes were passed out and there seems to be no question but Portsmouth folk will meet the issue squarely and fairly and Dr. Anderson, when he leaves for a rest at his boyhood home in Belle Center, will carry away with him a great offering, representing the love and esteem in which he is held by the people of this community. It is the desire of Chairman John T. Brice that those who will be unable to attend services Sunday, send their check of appreciation to Treasurer F. E. Kiefer, cashier of the Central National Bank, or to George Vandervort, of the Portsmouth Supply Company, Chairman of the Finance Committee. General Chairman Breece will, of course, be glad to receive any checks or cash for the earnest and eloquent evangelist, and you can place your last penny that J. T. B. will see to it that the money is presented to Dr. Anderson, for if there is one man who believes implicitly in Dr. Anderson and his methods, it is the General Chairman who has taken off his coat and worked with that vigor that has ever characterized his life.

Dr. Anderson meant business last night. True, he always does, but whenever you see the Belle Center evangelist walk into that pulpit wearing his tuxedo coat, you can fix yourself comfortably and expect something out of the ordinary. He

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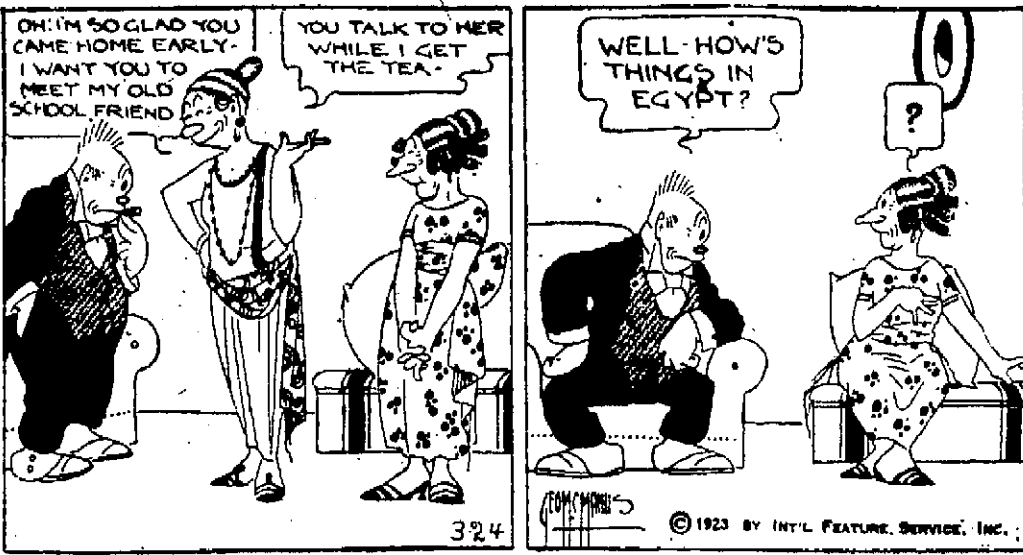
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BRINGING UP FATHER



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BY McMANUS



HURTH HOTEL TO BE BUILT SO THAT 4 ADDITIONAL STORIES MAY BE ADDED

The Hurth Hotel Company has decided to alter its plans for the construction of the new hotel at the corner of Third and Chillicothe streets, and will so construct the building that an addition of four more stories may be added at any time to the six that will be constructed at once.

The additional four stories will give 64 more rooms, which will take care of the future.

The company has planned to expand to the south of the site of the new hotel, and has been negotiating for the strip of property now occupied by the Salvage Company, having gone as far as to arrange for a lease.

But after considering the proposition from all angles the conclusion was reached that it would be more economical to "go up in the air" four more stories than to expand over additional land. Changes are now being made in the plans so as to make the construction of the first six stories heavy enough for the additional stories.

Agricultural Notes

EDITORIAL NOTE—The Times has arranged for an agricultural department in each issue of The Saturday Times. The articles will be written by an expert and we unhesitatingly advise their careful reading. They may be of great profit to you.

Thirty per cent better hatches are reported from Williams County by a poultry farm demonstrator who began this spring to allow his hens access to a small patch of green rye. Just why this happens, poultrymen at the Ohio State University cannot explain, but they say hatches always are better when the flock can "graze" over green rye, wheat or the like.

Vitamines in the grass may account for the increased vitality of the egg, they say, but profess no definite information.

Asked what might be called a "good hatch," G. S. Vickers, poultry extension specialist, said that 50 per cent is fair enough. Of this, he thought that 80 to 85 per cent of the chicks hatched.

"If a poultryman can keep his losses down to 10 per cent of the hatch for the first four weeks, and at 10 per cent of the remainder afterwards, he is doing rather well," Mr. Vickers said. The large loss which is now the usual thing in Ohio after the first four weeks is attributed mainly to the spread of the flock disease, coccidiosis.

College Offers New Bulletin

The department of publications of the college of agriculture at the Ohio State University announces the following new bulletins, free upon request: "Tomato Growing," eight pages, by N. W. Gilman, and "A Ton of Fertilizer to the Acre," four pages dealing particularly with truck crops, by Earl Jones. These bulletins will be furnished by your county agent.

Spraying Outfits Often Too Small

The control of fungous diseases and insects of orchard trees and fruit requires a good spraying outfit and a thorough application of the spray as well as the right kind and quality of spraying material.

Many growers would be richly repaid for buying spraying material in larger quantities and in using larger spraying outfits.

Many are trying to spray with hand atomizer, small knapsack compressed air sprayers, and the like, who should be using first-class barrel size outfits.

Again, owners of orchards of considerable acreage are attempting to do their spraying with barrel outfits when good power spraying machines are needed to cover their orchards fully and perfectly within the limited periods in which effective spraying may be done.

Buys Four Lots

Through a deal closed yesterday afternoon, W. W. Weidner of the W. W. Weidner Realty Co. purchased the four lots on Twenty-fourth street near Waller belonging to J. E. Ricker of the Ricker Realty Co. New homes will be built on the lots this spring.

Better Than Calomel

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are a Harmless Substitute

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets—the substitute for calomel—are a mild but sure laxative, and their effect on the liver is almost instantaneous. These little olive colored tablets are the result of Dr. Edwards' determination not to treat liver and bowel complaints with calomel.

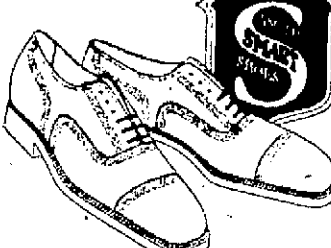
The pleasant little tablets do the good that calomel does, but have no bad after effects. They don't injure the delicate stomach or bowels. They take hold of the trouble and quickly correct it. Why cure the liver at the expense of the teeth? Calomel sometimes plays havoc with the gums. So do strong liquids. It is best not to take calomel. Let Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets take its place.

Headaches, "biliousness" and that lax feeling come from constipation, and a disordered liver. Take Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets when you feel "floggy" and "heavy." They "clear" clouded skin and "work up" the spirits. 36c and 20c—Advertisement.

The First Spring Oxfords Are Here!

Different from winter modes in color and contour, but suitable for wear at all times. A pair purchased now will lend a newness to your winter suit.

Extraordinary endurance underlies the attractive appearance of our Men's Oxfords. The Campus, the model here shown, is made of brown calf skin, space stitching on tip and vamp with rubber heels—shoe goodness all thru, popularly priced at \$6.50, \$7.50, \$8 and \$9. Better shoes for the price can't be had.



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Don't Let That Cold Turn Into "Flu"

That cold may turn into "Flu," Grippe or even worse. Pneumonia, unless you take care of it at once.

Put good old Musterole on the congested throat and see how quickly it brings relief.

Colds are merely congestion. Musterole, made from pure oil of mustard, camphor, menthol and other simple ingredients, is a counter-irritant which stimulates circulation and helps break up the cold.

As effective as the messy old mustard plaster, it does the work without the blister.

Just rub it on with your finger-tips. You will feel a warm tingle as it enters the pores, then a cooling sensation that brings welcome relief.

Use and see in jars and tubes.

Better than a mustard plaster.



Girl Sues Ruth For \$50,000



Here is the first and exclusive picture of Dolores Dixon, the 19-year-old girl who entered suit for \$50,000 against Babe Ruth, world's champion home-run hitter, of the New York Yankees, alleging he is the father of her expected child. Ruth, whose wife is standing by him loyally, has announced his intention of fighting the case to a finish, asserting he has never even seen the girl.

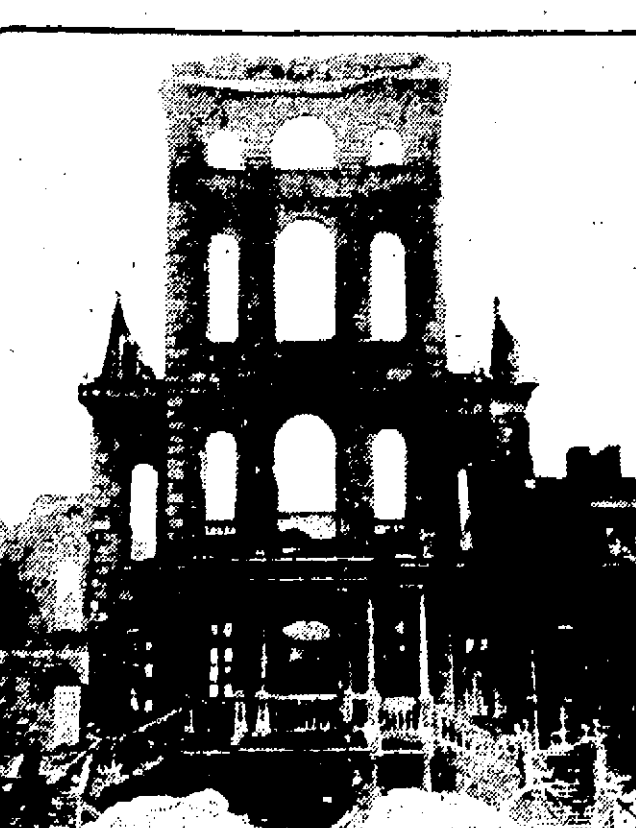
Mershon Indicted On Two Counts

Clay Mershon Jr., who was arrested in this city on a charge of robbing a group of prisoners in the Hamilton county jail who attempted to effect a delivery and the indictments grew out of the alleged assault of a trusty who had the candy concession in the jail and who had about \$100 in his pockets when attacked.

WAR DECLARED ON RAT FAMILY

Unless plans wisely carry the rats of the city are for a hot time within the next week when J. R. Waitehouse and his two assistants, champion rat exterminators, of Washington, D. C., will be here to open a campaign against all rodents. The war against

Fire Again Sweeps Religious Structure



The seventeenth Catholic institution in Canada to be destroyed by fire within the past year was the Catholic Hospital for incurables in Montreal. Above are shown the "scorched" ruins of the hospital from which 350 patients were rescued by nuns and attendants. Loss \$1,000,000.

SOCIETY

At a meeting of the school board last evening, Miss Julia Haas tendered her resignation as kindergarten teacher at the Garfield schools. Miss Haas will soon be married to Mr. Simon Lehman, son of Mr. Max Lehman of Timmons avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Brooks (Ruth Fitch) of Columbus are spending the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Fitch, of Ninth street.

Miss Lena Appel has arrived home from Miss Cuskin's School, Overbrook, Pa., to spend the spring vacation with her mother, Mrs. George M. Appel of Gallia street.

Donald Sheridan is home from Hiram College to spend the spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sheridan, of 1616 Grandview avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice K. Hitchcock and son, Maurice, Jr., of Ironton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William S. Sellards of Waller street.

Miss Bernice Kimble entertained with a charming bridge party Friday afternoon at her home on Hutchins street, for the pleasure of Miss Katherine Roth's guests, Misses Margaret Wickwire, Eleanor Scott and Rachel Conklin, of Wooster, Ohio. Miss Kimble's mother, Mrs. E. B. Kimble, assisted with the hospitalities. Misses Helen Dowling and Rachel Conklin were the recipients of attractive favors for the scores made. The afternoon concluded delightfully with luncheon served at the small tables daintily appointed with covers laid for Mrs. Earl Clayton, Mrs. Clyde Knost, Mrs. Lee Hummer, Misses Helen Chick, Helen Dowling, Helen Keyes, Alice Gore, Kathleen Hicks, Katherine Roth, Margaret Wickwire, Rachel Conklin and Eleanor Scott.

Mrs. Glenn Edwards, Mrs. William Gleiser and Mrs. Fred DeBoer composed the committee in charge of the dinner given Thursday evening at the First Presbyterian Church for the pleasure of the officers and teachers of the Sunday School, forty of whom were in attendance. The purpose of the affair was to discuss the problems and plans for Sunday School work, and proved so successful that it was decided to hold these dinner meetings every few weeks.

Misses Jane and Ruth Lanier, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Lanier of Franklin Avenue, will come home next Saturday from the Ursuline convent, Brown County, for a week's visit with their parents. Mr. Lanier will motor down to accompany them home.

Two Portsmouth students at Ohio Wesleyan University—Violet Stockham and Harold Dunn have been honored by their election to the Phi Beta Kappa fraternity at the annual spring election. Miss Stockham, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stockham of Beechwood Heights, has been quite active in co-ed athletics during her stay at O. W. U. Mr. Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Dunn of Offene Street, has taken a prominent part in journalistic and forensic activities and is completing his four year course in three years.

On Monday afternoon Miss Katherine Roth will receive a coterie of friends for an afternoon of bridge in her home 1715 Robinson Avenue, for the pleasure of her charming house guests, Misses Margaret Wickwire, Eleanor Scott and Rachel Conklin, who accompanied her from Wooster College, for the spring vacation.

Mrs. John Sowers of Lincoln Street Mrs. A. K. Wheeler and daughters, Arrella and Ethelva of Eighteenth Street, Miss Carrie Elizabeth Haff and guest Miss Miriam Sutton of O. W. U., Delaware, are spending today at Slocum Station with Mrs. Sowers' sister, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Voley.

On Thursday evening, Mrs. A. A. Semmer extended the hospitality of her home to a group of friends as a pre-nuptial favor to Miss Celina Goodman, fiancée of Ralph J. Collins of Huntington. The "honeymoon" guest was the happy recipient of an electric toaster a gift from the guests presented by dainty little Louise Russell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Russell. For the serving of the tempting luncheon the colors, pink and white combined to make an attractive background with dainty favors.

Mrs. Semmer was assisted by her mother, Mrs. J. J. Orlett in serving the following: Mrs. Edward Butler and baby Martha Jane; Mrs. Adolph Goodman, Misses Margaret Franz, Dorothy Butler, Genevieve Thomas, Gertrude Kirby, Margaret Vetter, Katherine Miller, Emma and Clara Gengenbacher, Hilda Montavon, Helen Chapman, Elizabeth Orlett, Gladys Crabau and Anna C. Goodman.

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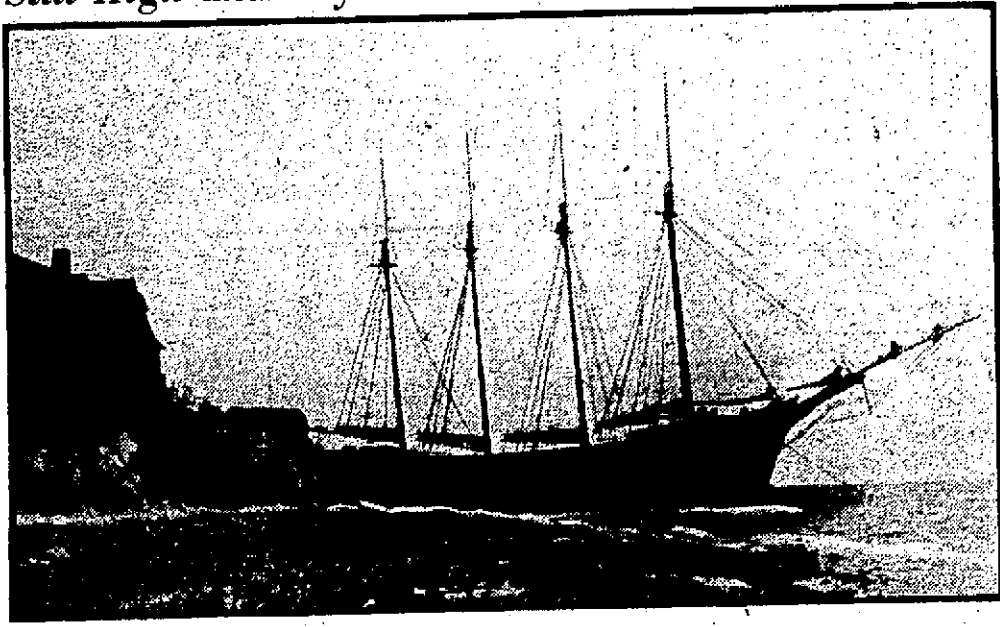
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LAST MINUTE PHOTOS WHO'S WHO WHAT'S WHAT IN THE NEWS

Still High and Dry After Two Weeks' Rescue Efforts



Four-masted schooner, Augusta C. Hilton, is still almost high and dry on the coast at Vineyard Haven, Mass., after coast guard cutter Acushnet, and several other tugs have tried for two weeks to pull her out. Owners think a high tide would do some good.

Sure Sign of Spring



Scenes like this one in New York on March 21 furnished real proof that spring is here.

At Last



(By Pacific & Atlantic)
After holding out for five weeks, Jack Bentley, for whom Giants paid Baltimore \$65,000, is going to join McGraw's baseball school in Texas.

Met Death Like Virginia Rappe



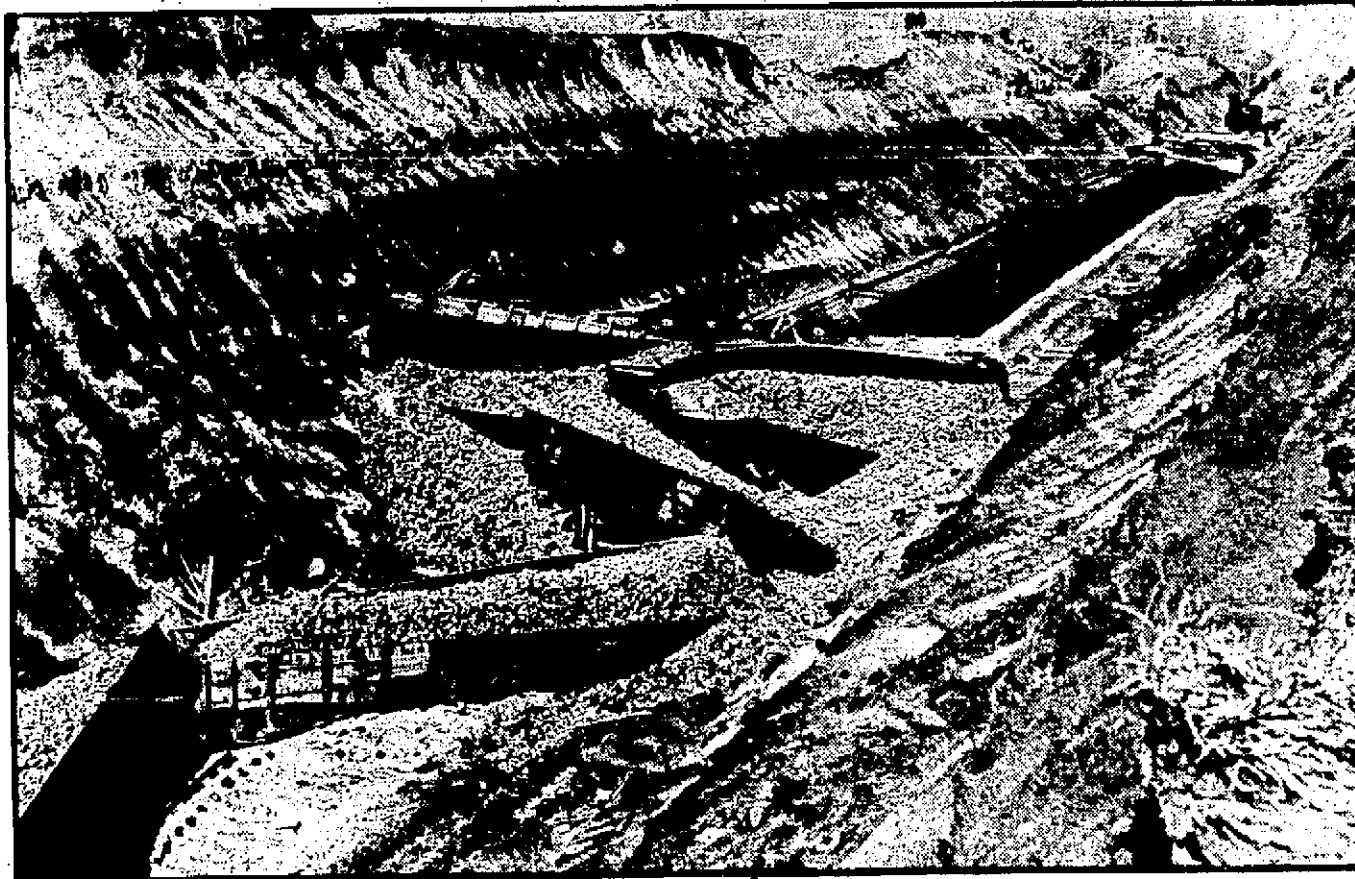
Autopsy performed on body of Mrs. Frances Beckwith, former chorus girl, who died in New York hospital, revealed that she met death in a manner similar to Virginia Rappe of Arbuckle case.

Fair Exchange No Robbery



If you've wondered how a brunette might look with blond hair, and vice versa, here's a chance to find out. Leatrice Joy and Rubye de Remer have swapped wigs. Leatrice (on the left) is a confirmed brunette, in fact, just as confirmed as Rubye is a blonde.

Landslide Wrecks Coal Train and Kills Two



Engineer and fireman were scalded to death when landslide wrecked coal train in Illinois Central Railway cut at Corinth, Miss. Photo shows smashed and twisted cars.

Poverty and Youth No Drawback



Rose Solomon, fourteen-year-old daughter of a New York newsdealer, is acclaimed a great pianist, despite her poverty and youth.

Age Is No Barrier to This Hiker



Although he is now eighty-four, G. W. Sheram, Civil War veteran, is still a great believer in walking, as a health builder. He is walking from Atlanta, Ga., to New Orleans, where he will attend the annual reunion of the Confederate veterans.

Skipper of American Giant



Appointment of Capt. Herbert Hartley as master of the Leviathan, largest American ship, has been announced by the Shipping Board.

Damage Suit



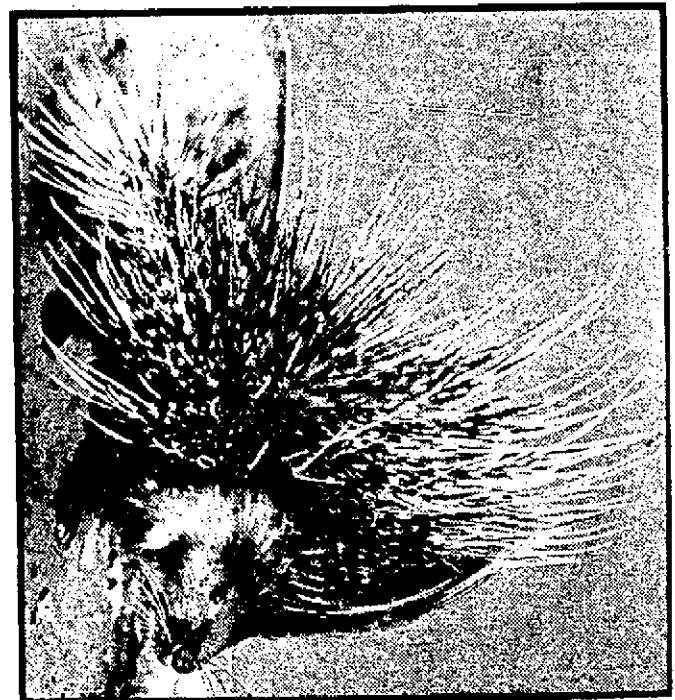
Charging that he is responsible for husband forsaking her, Mrs. Gladys Fox of Chicago has filed \$250,000 damage suit against father-in-law, A. Fuchs.

Quits Us



Ganna Walska has cut short American concert tour and will sail soon for Paris.

Were You Ever Stung?



If not, just tease a porcupine and you will gain the undesirable sensation. The above species hails from South America.

Alligators Hold No Fear for Him



Known the country over as the "Alligator Boy," Henry Coppinger Jr. of Miami, Fla., claims to be able to handle any alligator near his own weight.

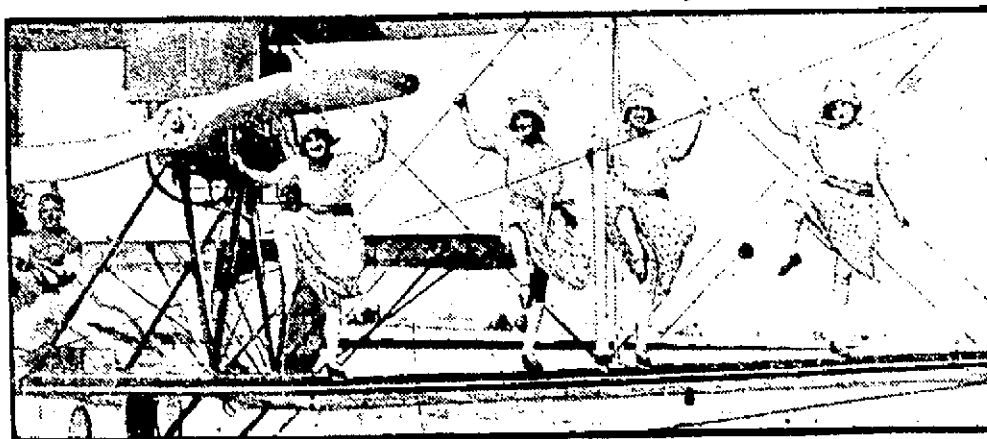
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His Birthday Near



William A. Pinkerton, noted detective, will be seventy-seven on April 7. He is shown here with Mrs. Wallace Reid on a recent visit to Hollywood.

Plane Becomes Beautiful—And Why Wouldn't It?



Pledged to wear only gingham, these members of the Gingham Girls' Club of Miami cavorted gaily on the wing of a seaplane preparatory to taking a ride in the machine. Thus did the plane become beautiful.

Vocational Training May Be Taken Up In High School; New School Looms Up

A busy session was held by the Board of Education last night when several important matters were considered.

It is highly probable that part of the vocational training will be introduced into the high school as the result of a visit here yesterday by Vocational Work Director Meyers of the State Department of Education. Mr. Meyers appeared before the board last night and outlined the part time vocational training, which has been made part of the public school system in other cities. He said that Zanesville, Steubenville, Chillicothe and Portsmouth were the only cities that had not yet tried the plan.

Director Meyers spoke of how many pupils leave school each year to go to work in order to earn a living and that it is the plan of the vocational training department to help these boys and girls prepare themselves for the work they wish to do when they give up school studies. It will be along the same line as the salesmanship course, for those wishing to take up mechanical work will be given a course dealing with that special line of work. Only one teacher is to be employed for this new work and two thirds of the salary is to be paid by the Vocational Division and the remaining one third by the board. The teacher is expected to take care of 100 pupils and classes are so arranged that they do not conflict with any other class in high school. In addition to pupils in school, manufacturers are to be allowed to send men to the school. Director Meyers said he had discussed the project with several manufacturers

Friday and that they were in favor of such a course. The matter was referred to Superintendent Frank Appel and the teachers and text book committee.

The board also had presented to it the matter of building a new school in North Moreland addition that would not only care for the pupils in North Moreland but about 75 pupils who now attend the Mann's Run school. J. Williams of the Clay township Board of Education appeared before the board last night and reported that the Mann Run school had been condemned and could not be used after this term. He said that the board did not want to build a new school to take care of 75 pupils and that it would be willing to pay for pupils sent to a school erected in North Moreland. The matter of a new building was referred to Superintendent Appel and the building committee.

Oscar Barklow, of Porter Township, lodged a complaint with the board last night that he was not receiving reimbursement promised last year for the board of his two children who were living here and attending P. H. S. It developed that the board had agreed to pay Barklow 50 cents each day for each of his children in lieu of their transportation fare to the city.

Barklow stated fifty cents was not sufficient for the purpose. The board insisted that it had complied with the law and could do no more. The contract for the furnishing and installation of window shades at the high school was awarded last night to the Anderson Bros.

Co. upon their bid of \$387.30.

A contract was awarded Martin Bros. last week but action on the contract was delayed when specifications of the contract were changed and new bids asked for.

The Warnock Electrical Co. was awarded the contract for the changing of canopies in hanging electrical fixtures at the high school upon its bid of \$920.71.

The board had before it last night the discipline case of Orin Horn, 17 year old high school sophomore, who was convicted of delinquency yesterday in the juvenile court and it was decided to take the matter up with the youth's father.

In anticipation of collection of taxes \$24,921.00 was borrowed for the tuition fund.

The resignation of Miss Julia Hays, kindergarten teacher effective April 1, was accepted.

The Knights of Columbus were granted permission to use the P. H. S. auditorium for the presentation of a minstrel on April 25 and 26. The Holy Redeemer High School was granted the use of the place on May 3 and 4 for the presentation of a class play and on June 1 for commencement exercises.

The Fidelity Casualty Co. reported through communication last night that inspection of boilers had been made in the school buildings and all had been found in good condition.

The schedule amounted to \$10,964.92.

Members Altman, Jackson, Clark, Scudler and Mrs. Marting were present at the meeting last night.

Grateful Refugees in Greece Given Food, Garments, Medicine Would Erect Statue to America



The Piræus port of Athens, has had sections for the past several months which would have seemed American except for the aspect of the laborers. Eight American Red Cross warehouses have handled more than \$2,600,000 worth of food, blankets, clothing and medicine for the relief of the 1,000,000 refugees who fled before the Turks and came in literal helplessness to the shores of Greece.

The photograph above shows Captain Paul H. Vincent, of Erie, Pennsylvania, director of the warehouse operations of the Red Cross in Greece, and a group of Athenian laborers carrying bundles of blankets, weighing 200 pounds each, for transshipment to the islands of the Aegean.

Under the direction of Colonel William N. Haskell, the emergency situation, so far as the actually needy are concerned and with the provision that American aid is tendered only where concentration is too great for local aid to suffice, is being fully met. Judge John Barton Payne, chairman of the American Red Cross, ordered the initiation of the program when the first large bands of refugees were reported as arriving last autumn, and the extent of American help has increased steadily with the need.

An example of the appreciation shown in Greece toward America's latest adventure in good will through the medium of the Red Cross, is contained in a recent editorial of the *Patras*, a leading Athens newspaper.

"We should erect on the most central square of the capital of Greece," the *Patras* said, "a great statue of Penedi marble, symbolizing American philanthropy, American goodness, American altruism."

Unless some prolongation of the actual emergency appears, America will have concluded one more chapter in her great volume of charity abroad by the time this year's harvest is garnered. After the harvest, according to observers in Greece, the poverty which remains will be that of an intrinsically unworkable situation. By then the Greek nation will have found by actual effort just how many of the refugee's normal life, and local charity will have had time to marshal its considerable resources to aid the war-scarred guests. Acceptance by the American Red Cross of further obligation would entail, unless there was a promise somewhere of permanent solution, a charity extending indefinitely, and outside the proper scope of the organization's disaster emergency funds, which are being used.

WOMEN QUARREL; GET INTO COURT

Nanilo Anderson, 819 Broadway street, was in Municipal court Saturday to answer to a charge of assault upon Marie Chaney. The two women, both colored, live at the same address and a dispute in which they became involved yesterday led to a personal encounter, and the Chaney woman, who from all accounts, lost the decision, sought the aid of the court.

After hearing their stories the court thought that the women were equally to blame and continued the case for further investigation and warned them against another outbreak.

ALLEGED ROBBERY CASE AIRED

Evidence in the case of Evelyn Whitman, charged with robbing Roby Webb of his pocketbook, containing \$15 was heard in Municipal court Saturday and was then taken under advisement.

The alleged robbery occurred at the Luther Johnson home, 730 Eleventh street, last Monday. The evidence indicated, Webb declaring that he missed his money after the Whitman woman had grabbed him and challenged him to a wrestling bout.

The stolen purse was later found in a vault in the rear of the Eleventh street address but the money was missing. The accused strenuously denied taking the money and the complainant was unable to say when the purse disappeared or who took it. The testimony adduced against the woman was purely circumstantial. The accused was represented by Attorney E. G. Miller and pending the court's finding she is out on bond.

Woman Tells Husband Not To Awaken Her If She Is Asleep; Death Intervenes

Andrew, Peter and Adam Gleim of Wheelersburg have received word of the death of their cousin, Mrs. Dena Lowe, wife of Lou Lowe, of Cleveland, who died March 8. Mrs. Lowe was a native of Cleveland. She told her husband not to awaken her if she were sleeping at noon and when he arrived home he thought his wife was asleep and did not attempt to arouse her. However, before he started back to work he tried to awaken her and found she had died. Acute indigestion was thought to have caused death.

Special Services At Salvation Army

Special services will be conducted at the Salvation Army hall tonight at eight o'clock and tomorrow. The special workers here from Cincinnati are Staff Captain H. Smith, Adjutant E. R. Holtz and Handsman Ernest Hyde.

Tonight Adjutant Holtz will give an illustrated lecture on the work of the Salvation Army. Motion pictures will be shown. Adjutant Holtz was one of the Salvation Army men chosen as chaplain by the Government during the war, when he was given the rank of Captain in the U. S. P. over there.

John Bell Dismissed

John Bell, colored, owner of a soft drink parlor in Lakeside, east of New Boston, was dismissed in Mayor W. E. Newberry's court at New Boston, Friday night when no evidence could be introduced to prove him guilty of the charge that he had kept a place where intoxicating liquor was kept, sold and furnished. Attorney T. C. Beatty defended Bell, who entered a plea of not guilty last week, when the date of the hearing was set for Friday night.

Fined On Possession Charge

Bert Yhalkee, fined \$121.00 by Mayor W. E. Newberry of New Boston several days ago obtained his release from jail Saturday afternoon when it was paid. Yhalkee was taken in tow by George Dover, special officer at the tradition station waiting room several nights ago on a charge of drunkenness, but later when a half pint bottle of moonshine was found on him the additional charge of possessing intoxicating liquor was placed against him. Yhalkee maintained he was not drunk and did not have a bottle but he was found guilty and assessed a fine of \$200 and costs on the possessing charge and \$10 and costs on the intoxication charge.

Mershon Complains About Sleeping On Cement Floor

When Clay Mershon, Jr., one of the seven leaders in the recent attempted delivery at the Hamilton county jail, was arraigned in the Criminal court at Cincinnati yesterday, on indictment returned against him for assault made complaint against conditions he alleged existed at the jail, as a result of the efforts of himself and companions to gain freedom.

When brought into court Mershon asked permission to make a statement, which was granted, and he requested Judge Hoffman to make a personal investigation of the conditions he declared exist "for humanity's sake." Mershon declared that the prisoners had been kept on a bread-and-water diet for several days and were forced to sleep on cement floors.

The court immediately visited the jail and after his investigation approved the segregation of the prisoners, particularly some of them in view of their past actions.

Mershon was arrested here a few weeks ago and returned to the Queen City in connection with robbing a paymaster of a big packing house there. He confessed to participating in the crime, following his arrest.

SOCIETY

"A Clean-Up On Morals" will be the keynote of the meeting of the Woman's City Club which will be held Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the basement of the Library. This is a subject which is of vital interest to every woman in the city, and it is hoped that all members will be present at the meeting. Speakers for the afternoon include Municipal Judge Stanley McCall, Dr. C. W. Wendelken, Mrs. Corneilia Treuthart and Miss Emma Hubert, of the Bureau of Community Service. Mr. Vaughn Finney will also give a humorous reading and Prof. Elmer Ende will have charge of the music.

The committee in charge of the program include Mrs. J. D. Jordan, Mrs. Winifred Bennett, Mrs. C. L. Ferguson and Mrs. Edgar Poffenberger.

Occupy Summer Home

Mr. and Mrs. George T. Waters and two sons George T. Jr. and James A., have moved from Columbus to their summer home just west of Bucan Vista, where they have leased the Captain Seidel property. They will reside in it until next November.

Mr. Waters travels for the Brown Shoe Company of St. Louis and is recognized as one of the firm's most successful road men.

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FOR MEMORY SAKE

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Remodeling Property

Edward Perry is having his property at 418 Fourth Street remodelled. Contractors Davis and Hamilton are doing the work.

BIRTHS

A daughter was born Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Vinton McFann of Chillicothe.

FIGHT NEVER TOOK PLACE

Must Be Admitted That Israel Putnam's Method of Conducting Duel Was Disconcerting.

Old Israel Putnam had his own ideas about duels, although it was regarded in his day as more or less a part of a gentleman's code of honor. It once happened that Putnam unintentionally offended a brother officer in the Continental army. The dispute arose at a wine table, and the officer demanded instant reparation. Putnam, being a little excited, expressed his willingness to accommodate him with a light, and it was stipulated that the duel should take place on the following morning, and that they should fight without seconds. At the appointed time the officer went to the dueling ground armed with swords and pistols. Putnam was there before him on the field and had taken a stand at the opposite end, musket in hand. Catching sight of his opponent he leveled his musket and fired. The astonished officer ran toward Putnam, who was deliberately reloading his piece. "What are you about?" he demanded. "Is this the conduct of an American officer and a man of honor?" "What am I about?" inquired Putnam. "A pretty question to ask a man whom you intended to murder about to kill you; and if you don't have a retort in less time than it would take Old Heath to hang a Tory you are a gone dog." He rammed home the charge in his musket and threw the piece to his shoulder; whereat the would-be duelist took to his heels and fled for his life.

TANNING IS ANCIENT IDEA

Process Known to Be at Least 3,000 Years Old, but Improvements Come Slowly.

At first skins were cured by simply cleaning and drying. Then it was found the texture of the leather improved by the use of salt, and various oils and the brains of the animals themselves. Later it was discovered that certain astringent herbs and vegetables effected permanent changes in the texture of skins and stopped decay. The ancient Egyptians possessed this knowledge, for engravings on their tombs depict the process of tanning. In China specimens of leather have been discovered in company with other relics that prove them to be over three thousand years old. The Romans used leather which they tanned with oil, alum and bark. Early explorers in America found the Indians wearing skins prepared with buffalo dung, oil and clay.

No improvement in the general methods of preparing leather took place from the use of primitive times until about 1700, when the use of lime to loosen the hair was introduced. By 1825 English tanners were attempting to introduce new methods by which the tanning process could be shortened. One of the pioneers in these experiments was John Burridge, the inventor of the barometer, an instrument for determining the strength of tanning liquors.

A certain Irish judge never tried to hide his dislike of John Philpot Curran, a distinguished lawyer who was well known for his wit. The judge, writes Sir Edward Sullivan in the *Nineteenth Century*, had a mastiff dog that he had trained to sit beside him in the court. One day Curran was arguing a case of considerable importance. His lordship gave every appearance of not listening, and, moreover, to accentuate his contempt he turned to the dog and audibly addressed some remark to him.

Curran at once stopped talking. "Go on, sir," said the judge. "I beg your pardon," answered Curran. "I thought your lordships were in consultation."

Yes, Trees Must Grow.

Do you know how trees grow by forming new layers of wood directly under the bark? The roots are the support of the tree, says the *School Book of Forestry*. They also supply the tree with food. Through delicate hairs on the roots they absorb soil moisture and plant food from the earth and pass them along to the tree. The body of the tree acts as a passageway through which the food and drink are conveyed to the top or crown. The crown is the place where the food is digested and the regeneration of trees effected.

Are Screech Owls Ominous?

In some sections of the country people believe that when a screech owl alights and begins to scold it is a sign of some ill luck which is soon to befall them. Particularly do ignorant people put faith in this sign. Many have been heard to say that it betokens the early death of a loved one. No more utterly false specter of the imagination was ever created. A screech owl is quite harmless. In fact, they are quite valuable, pretty little night birds. Our Dumb Animals.

International Date-Line.

The International Date-Line is a hypothetical line, coinciding approximately with the meridian of longitude 180 degrees from Greenwich, fixed by international agreement as the place where each calendar day first begins. For practical purposes the meridian is not strictly followed for the line runs through the Aleutian Islands and irregularly through the Pacific ocean from north to south, of course.

East of the International Date-Line the day is dated one day earlier than on the west of the line.

On Top.

She-I don't care what you say about the De Stuyvesant, they're certain the cream of society. I guess you're right. At any milk of human kindness be beneath me.—Boston

Believe Couple Has Been Stealing Autos Here; Killoyne Car Recovered

Police here believe that cars recently stolen in the city were driven away by a couple, who had been operating here for several weeks.

This theory was strengthened when the police learned that the machine owned by Thomas Killoyne of 1330 Munroe street which was reported missing several days ago after it had been parked on Fifth street west of Chillicothe had been abandoned by a couple near Batavia. The machine featured in an accident, and was wrecked, turning over twice according to information received by Killoyne at Batavia yesterday when he recovered the car and drove it back to Portsmouth. The man and woman were seen to limp away from the machine and made their get away before they could be arrested.

Damage to the machine is covered by insurance.

IT'S THE VERY BEST

Nevin's Wall Tone is guaranteed by the J. F. Davis Drug Co. to be the best flat-tone paint on the market.

Advertisement

Thief Steals Ring In Barklow Home

While members of the Albert Barklow family were asleep, a thief entered their home at 1320 Grandview avenue and after ransacking the house decamped with an open ring valued at \$100 and \$14 in money, which was extracted from Mr. Barklow's trouser pocket. The thief gained entrance through the front door which had been left unlocked.

RIVER NEWS

Saturday, Mar. 24, 1923

STATIONS	High Water	Low Water	Stage
Franklin	13.68F-1.0		
Lock No. 7	30.91C-1.48		
Birmingham	22.71F-1.19		
Dan No. 13	13.22F-0.7		
Zanesville	25.15F-1.0		
Parkersburg	30.15R-2.0		
Charleston	30.15R-2.0		
Pl. Pleasant	40.10R-2.8		
Dan No. 26	22.41F-1.3		
Hannington	50.21R-0.8		
Ashtand	50.25R-0.6		
Portsmouth	50.26R-0.8		
Chillicothe	52.31F-1.0		

F. R. WINTER, River Observer.

Twenty-four Years Ago

Judge J. W. Bannan left for Xenia to attend a stock sale with a view of buying a bunch of cattle for his dairy farm.

Capt. Thomas McDole, a former pilot of the ferry-boat *Susie Brown*, died at his home 233 West Second street, aged 67 years.

The streets were full of politicians, and his sweet voice was heard on every hand. Almost every man one saw was either a candidate or a "pulling counter" and between them they were legion.

The local leaders of the new Union Reform party announced a mass convention at Brunsart's hall for the purpose of putting a ticket in the field.

Thomas Brewer, 23 farmer, Vanceburg, Ky., son of A. W., and Willis Brewer, was granted a license to wed by Judge Meadows, 18, daughter of George and Rosaline Meadows, of Vanceburg.

Edward Egan, of Hannawell, Ky., obtained a license to wed Lydia Brown of the same place.

Into Flats

Miss Mary Bishop of Second street, having her brick building at 429 East street converted into flats, and Cooper on the contractor.

On The Mend

Henry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry, of Fifth street, is recovering from a severe illness.

Who Will Take Him

Jack Wolff, fighting at 128 pounds in the city, ready and anxious to meet all comers. Wolff lives in Columbus where he has won a number of arena battles.

Seriously Ill

William Rollins of Tenth street is seriously ill with heart trouble.

Another New One

P. L. Hummel has had work started on a new \$9,000 pressed brick house, which will go up on Micklethwait Road on the Hilltop.

Mr. Horchow Better

Samuel Horchow, head of the Horchow Furniture company, who has been ill, is feeling much better and is able to look after his business affairs as usual.

Move Next Week

Mayor and Mrs. William N. Gableman and family will move next week to their handsome new home on Highland avenue, which they recently purchased from Walter Brierley.

New Veranda

C. H. Krauser is having a new veranda added to his home at 506 Glover street.

Is Very Ill

Mrs. W. K. Nelson is very ill at her home on Union street.

C. & O. EMPLOYE IS SERIOUSLY INJURED

MANCHESTER, O., Mar. 24.—Ora Graham, aged 45, an employee of the C. & O. Ry., living at Trinity, while operating a foot railroad trolley on the C. & O. Ry. between South Manchester and Concord, Ky., collided with a motor driven utility section car, smashing both cars. Graham was seriously injured and was hurried to the C. & O. hospital at Covington, Ky., where he is said to be in a precarious condition. Occupants of the motor car were only slightly injured.

Mr. Webb Ill

Joseph Webb is ill at his home on Front street. He is employed in Clark's Gallia street barber shop.

RIVER NEWS

Rainfall during the past 48 hours at the Ohio river on a small rise Saturday when a stage of 26.8 feet was registered here with the indications that the stream will continue to climb slowly for a day or two. The rainfall during the 24-hour period ending this morning amounted to .42 inch.

The only boat movement today was the general Crowder, which cleared at 9 a. m., bound for Pittsburg.

Install New Front

Architects Devoss and Donaldson have completed plans for the new front to be installed in the Neudecker property on Chillicothe street, which has been leased to Jim Nick.

Mrs. Gentry Ill

Mrs. B. P. Gentry continues very ill at her home in Lucasville.

Sells Property

Mrs. Rachel Yeager has sold her property near Lucasville to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Shields of Route 4 and they will soon occupy it.

POLICE NEWS

In Municipal court Saturday J. W. Seages, arrested for intoxication, forfeited his bond, and Harmon Keller charged with parking his car braided in the wrong direction, failed to appear and it cost him \$620 while J. G. Wilson was taxed the costs under his plea of guilty to a similar offense.

Charles Lewis, negro, accused of defrauding Bill Hall, negro, out of \$1 in connection with the sale of a bogus pawn ticket, was found to be guilty but he was dismissed because it was thought by the court that he had been sufficiently punished through eleven days confinement in the city jail.

Who Will Take Him

Jack Wolff, fighting at 128 pounds in the city, ready and anxious to meet all comers. Wolff lives in Columbus where he has won a number of arena battles.

Court-House

Seeks To Foreclose Mortgage

Suit to recover judgment of \$1500 claimed to be due on a promissory note and to foreclose a mortgage on real estate, given to secure payment, was brought by Felix Hays, suing through Attorney B. F. Kimble, in Common Pleas court Saturday against Clay B. Mitchell and Lizzie B. Mitchell. The property involved is situated in this city and the Portsmouth American Building and Loan Association is made party defendant by reason of it claiming some interest in the premises.

Youth Taken To Lancaster

Riley Ray, 14 years old, homeless youth, who was adjudged a delinquent and ordered committed to the Boy's Industrial school by the juvenile court, was taken to the Lancaster institution Saturday by Probation Officer Firman Gilliland after efforts to find a good home for the lad proved futile.

To Administer Estate

Marrie B. Edgington, 2302 Ninton avenue, was named Saturday by the Probate court to administer the estate of her late mother, Hannah C. Edgington, who died recently at her home in this city, leaving property with an estimated value of \$4,230.00 represented principally by real estate.

Judge Thomas Expected Home

Judge James S. Thomas is expected to arrive home tonight from Cleveland where he has been holding court for the past four weeks under special assignment. The jurist will resume his place on the local bench Monday and during the coming week will hear a number of cases which have been put on the trial docket.

Real Estate Transfers

Hanan D. McGraw to Alonzo Tackett, lot Valley View Addition, \$1, etc. Anna Mary Arbogast to John Lust, lot on Eleventh street, \$1, etc. Albert S. Miller and others to The Portsmouth Cement & Lime company, two lots on Jefferson street, \$1, etc. Frank Blessing to A. J. Hurlst, lot on Fourteenth street, \$1, etc. W. M. Harsh to R. C. Williams, lot Sunrise avenue, \$1, etc. Arthur P. Young to Edwin C. Williams, part new Scioto Trail, \$1, etc. Ernest C. Riecky to Farmer Collins, two lots in New Boston, \$1, etc. Perry Young to Alfred Lloyd, two lots in McDermott, \$1, etc. W. R. Buckley to J. C. Singleton, lot Glendale Addition, \$1, etc.

Marriage Licenses

Rudolph J. Miller, 32, shoemaker, city, and Minnie Vere Zahns, 23, stenographer, city. Rev. W. C. Miliken.

Condition Favorable

Leonard Lowe, 1310 Summit street, a city fireman stationed at the Gallia street department, underwent a successful operation for appendicitis in Hempstead hospital Friday. His condition Saturday was regarded as entirely favorable and the fire-lad promises to make a speedy recovery.

Fix Dates For K. Of C. Minstrel

The Knights of Columbus have secured use of the High School auditorium for April 25 and 26 when they will stage their annual minstrel. Rehearsals will begin in two weeks.

Operated Upon

Mrs. Corn Browning, 412 Market street, was admitted to Hempstead hospital Friday for a surgical operation which was performed Saturday.

Mrs. Schwartz Better

Mrs. Fred Schwartz of Third street continues to improve from her recent illness.

Traffic Officer S. L. Banks of Washington, D. C., would like very much to play the part of Prince Charming with a certain Cinderella. When he stopped a speeding limousine, Cinderella's leg came through a window and aimed a kick at the officer's head. He got the slipper and now he'd like to get the fair owner.

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WANTED — Pasture cook to work 4 hours daily. Classic Confectionery. 3-14-17

WANTED — Experienced restaurant man to fill place of night cook. Apply at once, giving references. Address "X Y Z," care Times. 3-14-17

WANTED — Mowing and hauling of all kinds. \$2 per load. W. M. Stamper. Phone 1414-Y. 2-10-17

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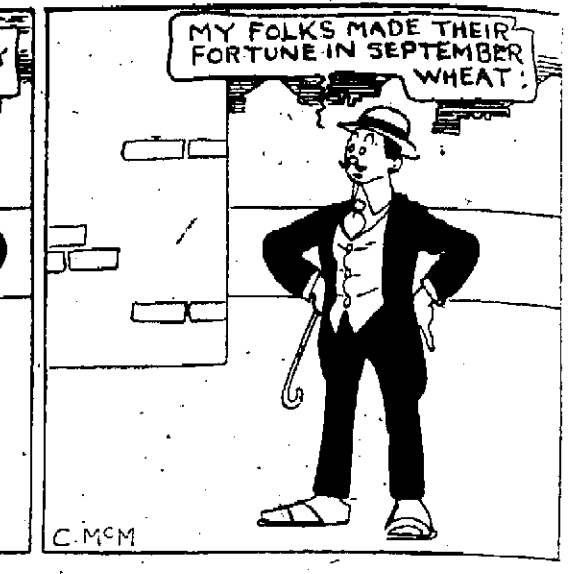
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WANTED—Mule drivers. Work every day. Call Cecil Miller. 23-31

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WANTED—1 or 2 gentlemen boarders in private family with no children. Phone 407-Y. 24-31

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 708 6th. 3-24-17

WANTED—Dust girl. Silver Furniture Co., 613 Chillicothe. 24-17

WANTED—White woman for general housework, family of two, no washing and ironing, good wages. Splendid home for right person. Phone 230-Y or 1213 5th St. 24-31

WANTED—Man to repair electric. Phone 407. 24-31

WANTED—2 laborers Monday morning. 45 cents per hour. A. W. Snyder. 1401 High St. 24-31

WANTED—Stenographer. Apply W. W. Weidner Co., Room 25, First Natl. Bank Bldg. Phone 196. 24-17

WANTED—Next appearing lady to cure for children by April first. Permanent position. Apply Children's Home, Wheelersburg. 24-17

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WANTED—Acetylene welders. Steel barns dismantled. Apply employment office. Whitaker-Glessner Co. 24-17

WANTED—To rent garage, downtown. Phone 465-X. 24-17

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BY BUD FISHER

VOLLEY BALL

Business News League	W.	L.	Pct.
Reds	36	24	.600
Yankees	31	23	.574
White Sox	25	29	.463
Giants	27	30	.474
Indians	10	30	.250

The Yankees easily took all three games last night from the White Sox, 21-9; 21-10 and 21-15.

Grady Williams of the Yankees was the chief kill man while J. H. Finney made quite a few good serves.

The lineups:
Yankees—F. Williams, G. Williams, Dr. Gault, J. H. Finney, M. Ruggles, B. Cross.
White Sox—Fout, Gardner, Peters, Finney, Freeman, McNamara.

River City League

	W.	L.	Pct.
Tigers	61	22	.735
Standards	49	28	.638
Faculty	45	42	.517
Bankers	31	50	.385
Giants	21	60	.261

The Bankers won two out of three from the Giants last night, the Giants taking the middle game. The scores were: 21-13; 15-21 and 21-11.

The lineups:
Giants—Schusky, Gordley, Gabbert, C. Glockner, Stevenson, Baker.
Bankers—McNamara, Uhl, Brunner, Erfurth, Henderson, Pratt.

P. H. S. Five To Play South Webster

The South Webster high school basketball five is to perform in the P. H. S. gym next week, with the Red and Blue lads as their opponents. The Webster lads luried a challenge at the P. H. S. quintet and it has been accepted.

The contest will be staged under the auspices of the Junior class of P. H. S. as the class is in need of funds for the annual Junior-Senior banquet.

Wildcats vs. Dutchmen

The Holy Redeemer Wildcats will clash with the Flying Dutchmen of Ironton on the Moose Hall court Tuesday evening March 27, at eight o'clock. The Wildcats recently lost to the Dutchmen at Ironton but feel that they can turn the tables here next week.

Tickets have been placed on sale.

Join Circus

Hiram DeLoe, well known front street bill poster, left yesterday to join the advertising force of the Sparks Bros. Circus.

Exhibition Games

LAKELAND, FLA., March 24—Brooklyn (N.) 5 8 0
Cleveland (A) 6 11 0
Vance, Dickerman, Schreiber and Deberry, Taylor, Metevier, Edwards and O'Neill.

BRADENTON, FLA., March 24—St. Louis (N) 9 22 2
Washington (A) 10 13 1
Wigington, Griman, Parks, Barnes and Clements, Ainsmith, McCurdy, Warmath, Hollingsworth and Hargrave.

Gets Nice Promotion

William M. Pierce of Georgetown, formerly sales representative of the Liggett & Myers Tobacco Company, has been transferred to Cincinnati, where he has been made assistant to General Manager Winkel. His many local friends will be glad to learn of his promotion.

AMERICAN HORSE WINS

LIVERPOOL, March 24—(By The Associated Press)—Sergeant, Murphy by General Simons, out of Rose Craft owned by Stephen Safford of New York, won the grand national steeple chase handicap valued at approximately 10,000 pounds, run over a course of about 4 1/2 miles at Aintree today. Sir Malcolm McAlpin Sham Spadash was second and Major Dewhurst's Conjuror II was third. Twenty eight horses ran.

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City Bowling League

TEAM	W.	L.	Pct.
Play House	22	2	.917
Masons	18	6	.750
Selby	20	7	.741
Baker's Tramps	19	8	.704
Drew	18	9	.667
By Steel	8	19	.296
American Legion	5	19	.208
Excelsior	1	23	.043

Games Tonight

No Games Scheduled.

Games Next Week

Thursday—Baker's Tramps vs. Selby.
Thursday—Play House vs. Drew.
Friday—American Legion vs. Masons.
Friday—By Steel vs. Excelsior.

Play House

Mantel	203	000	000	203
Sodaro	000	109	139	308
Higgins	201	144	109	514
Somers	149	157	154	459
Walter	182	171	169	522
LeMaster	236	214	209	659

Masons

Patton	192	174	159	525
Blind	125	000	000	125
Reinhardt	151	103	134	478
Frazier	158	178	134	560
Whitman	000	157	176	333
Walter	188	197	190	575

Selby

Haken	141	171	137	515
Davidson	181	165	141	487
Sikes	172	150	167	489
Shepherd	122	165	160	447
Blind	125	125	125	375

Excelsior

Shaw	143	175	133	451
Fritzell	149	157	148	454
Blind	125	125	125	375
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Totals

Totals	687	707	650	2030
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Big Game Tonight

One of the most important Scout games of the season will be played tonight between Troop 1 and Troop 8 in Wilhelmette hall, starting at 7:30 o'clock. The public is invited to game.

This contest will have considerable bearing on the Scout championship, as Troop 8 has lost one game, and Troop 1 has not met defeat. A defeat for Troop 1 means a tighter race for the championship.

DUCK PIN LEAGUE

TEAM	W.	L.	Pct.
LeMaster-Briggs	86	24	.782
Kelley-Knot	69	41	.627
Hadley-Davidson	63	52	.548
Erwin-James	62	53	.539
Mansfield-Nick	68	57	.544
Pherson-Gaebler	56	59	.487
Hamm-McCoy	56	59	.487
Wolf-Becker	45	65	.409
Hughes-Blood	38	72	.343
Glickert-Morris	30	80	.273

Games Monday Night

LeMaster-Briggs vs. Erwin-James.

Last Night's Results

Blind	85	85	85	255
Wolf	130	170	135	435
Totals	215	255	220	1070

VS.

Morris	117	121	91	329
Glickert	104	124	74	298
Totals	221	245	165	1014

SELBY BOWLING LEAGUE

Games This Week

Games Next Week

Monday—Service Men vs. Rounders.
Monday—Eagles vs. Shakers.
Tuesday—Dolls vs. Spark Plugs.
Tuesday—Cookies vs. Scrappers.
Wednesday—Trollers vs. Bumble Bees.

Wednesday—Turnips vs. Pattern Makers.

Thursday—Trackers vs. Whiz Bangs.
Thursday—Yankees vs. Posties.

Last Night's Results

Clifford	184	133	156	503
Cook	143	169	100	502
Blind	135	125	125	375
Pittenger	119	161	162	442
Patrick	134	186	106	426

Totals

Totals	705	774	629	2108
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Whiz Bangs

Reeg	177	133	128	438
Schuman	106	144	186	436
Brumfield	175	148	128	451
Brown	147	136	177	460
Powers	142	227	198	567

Totals

Totals	748	788	617	2153
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Dolls

J. Hauck	106	132	152	450
J. Hauck	121	148	112	381
Doll	128	136	147	411
Tantz	129	153	155	437
Hauck	120	123	165	408

Totals

Totals	694	692	731	2117
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BOXES OF GOLD
BY E. PHILLIPS OPPENHEIM
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BEGIN HERE TODAY

Vendetta begins between MICHAEL SAYERS, noted criminal, and SIR NORMAN GREYES, once of Scotland Yard, when Sayers' beautiful housemaid, Janet, saves him from Sir Norman by shooting dead an officer sent to arrest him. Janet becomes Sayers' wife and accomplice. Michael plots to rob two men, Gorty and Metzger, of seven boxes of gold brought into England to establish private credits. Mr. and Mrs. Jose de Miguel assist Michael. During the absence of Gorty, Madame de Miguel entices Metzger to her hotel room where Michael renders him unconscious. The gold is substituted for their luggage and the de Miguels leave for Paris unknown.

NOW GO ON WITH STORY

Sir Norman Continues

"You are satisfied?" my companion asked. "Perfectly," I assured her. "I am going to run no further risk of being recognized. I shall pay the bill and go. You will remain. Remember, it is the woman you must watch. Engage as much help as you require. She must be watched unceasingly."

My companion nodded.

"It will not be difficult," she said.

I TOOK my departure, and at this stage of my search for the missing gold, I took Rimmington into my confidence. He agreed with me as to the advisability of allowing Michael to remain at large for the present; and so far as he was concerned, he satisfied himself with placing a strict watch upon the house in Adam Street where we had located him. I myself retired a little into the background, although I remained in the closest touch with Miss Weston. Her information was always interesting, always suggestive. The whole scheme gradually unwound itself.

"One of the out-porters at Waterloo," he announced, "seems to remember a small furniture van backed up against the pavement some distance away from where the majority of the taxicabs were unloading."

"He didn't notice the name on it, I suppose?" I asked.

"No such luck! There's another thing, though. One of the old hands there told one of my fellows that he noticed several porters about that night, whose faces were quite unfamiliar to him and whom he has not seen since. The driver of the bus from the Milan insists upon it, as you remember, that Madame de Miguel pushed away the first porter who accosted them, and insisted upon employing two of her own choosing."

"We have got so far, then," I pointed out, recapitulating items of information which had been brought us. "This pretended South American and his wife drove up to Waterloo with three heavy cases. They were met there by confederates dressed in the uniform of railway porters, who probably took the boxes into the station, and choosing their opportunity, brought them out again and got them into the furniture van. The inference is that the gold is still in London. To proceed: What have we learned about Janet?"

She is staying in a boarding-house in the Cromwell Road, frequented by artists. She spends an hour or two every day at the South Kensington Museum, studying statuary. It is exactly four days since she brought a little specimen of some sort of work to Michael, something that, unless I am mistaken, was of considerable weight, for I noticed that her

handbag sagged as she walked up to the restaurant. Further—

THE telephone-bell rang. I recognized Miss Weston's voice at the other end. I listened to what she had to say, and in ten minutes we were in my car and on the way to Twickenham. We picked up Miss Weston herself in Kensington.

"The woman whom I have been following," she announced, "is only a few minutes ahead of us. She is in a private car, and there is a strange man seated in front with the chauffeur."

"It looks well," Rimmington admitted. "Our friend has ordered the same table for dinner tonight at Romano's."

On our way I had a moment of misgiving. A gray touring-car passed us at a great speed and shot down the Brentford Road considerable ahead of us. Rimmington spoke for a moment through the tube, and we pulled up at the district police-station.

"We've given Michael rope enough," he decided. "He may get the alarm at any moment now. I'm going to have him arrested."

I drew a little breath. It was hard to think that I should not be present at the end for which I had worked so zealously, but I realized the risk of letting him remain at large any longer. I waited while Rimmington entered the police-station and spoke to headquarters. When he returned, he brought with him a couple of plain-clothes men, one of whom sat in the front and the other with us.

"There will probably be half a dozen of them," Rimmington pointed out. "and from what I know of the gang that Michael generally employs, there may be a little trouble. We'll leave Miss Weston in the car."

WE turned off the main road at Twickenham, and finally stopped before the gates of a large, old-fashioned villa, badly out of repair and apparently empty. The grounds sloped down to the river, and the gates were padlocked. We climbed over, leaving Miss Weston behind. She detained us for one moment. "The house is called the Sanctuary," she said. "Goodson, the sculptor, lived here once."



"REMEMBER IT IS THE WOMAN YOU MUST WATCH. ENGAGE AS MUCH HELP AS YOU DESIRE."

We hurried off. The place showed every sign of desertion, but there were marks of recent wheels upon the avenues, and as we turned the last corner we saw a thin cloud of smoke curling upward from a long range of outbuildings which looked like a sort of annex to the kitchen. Rimmington quickened his pace. We all broke into a run. We avoided the front door, with its flight of stone steps, and went straight for the building which we now perceived to have been the studio. The door of a long outbuilding stood open. We passed to look inside. There was a furniture van there, and inside, some clothing of rusty contrivance. The uniforms of the pseudo-porters at Waterloo were accounted for.

Entrance to the studio itself was gained by means of a stout oak door, obviously barred and bolted. We

went round to the back, crossing a lawn where the grass and weeds were up to our knees. We failed to discover any other door, but somehow or other we found our way through a smashed window into the great room with its dome-shaped ceiling. I think, even as we entered, we realized that we were too late.

The place was empty. A small forge was burning; there were several strange-looking vessels lying about the floor; the coffers, covered only by a piece of matting which Rimmington kicked aside, were ranged about the wall. There was not a sound to be heard, but the placed smelled of tobacco smoke, and indeed there was a faint cloud of blue smoke still hanging about the roof.

"We've lost them!" Rimmington muttered.

"We have the gold, though," I reminded him.

"And Michael, I trust," was the fervent rejoinder.

WE searched the house, which was empty and desolate. Then we went to the local police-station and arranged for the gold to be removed. Afterward we called on the house agent. He made a little grimace when we mentioned the Sanctuary.

"Thought I'd let it to a lady sculptor," he declared. "She paid for the house for a month, to see whether she could work there—wanted to do her own casting or something."

"She paid you for the month, I hope?" Rimmington inquired.

"Oh, she paid that, all right," the agent replied. "I wish these old places were all pulled down. They're more trouble than they're worth."

"Did the lady bring you any references?" I asked.

"I didn't ask for any," the house agent replied frankly. "I was only too glad to get anyone even to talk about the property. Besides, the lady put the money down."

"Nevertheless," Rimmington said quietly, "as a person who has had some experience in these matters—I am, Inspector Rimmington of Scotland Yard—I should advise you to be a little careful how you deal with these large, old-fashioned houses. In the present case you may be interested to know that the little forge in the studio at the Sanctuary has been used for the purpose of melting down Russian gold."

"God help us!" the agent cried. "What the Gorty and Metzger gold!"

"Precisely," Rimmington acquiesced. "They've only got rid of a little of it, as it happens, but to judge from the preparations, they were going into it more extensively in a day or two."

We drove back to London, and I followed my friend into his private room with a rare thrill of excitement. I saw his face grow white and stern as he listened to the report of the man who rose to meet him. Then he turned a disconsolate face to me.

"The rooms in Adams Street are empty," he said. "Staudfield has not visited the British Museum today. We've lost him again! I ought to have known better," he added bitterly, "than to have let him remain at liberty for a single moment."

"And the woman?" I asked, a little nervously.

Rimmington shook his head.

"We don't want her," he said. "She's just the decoy who may some day whistle her mate to his cell. It's a knack for us. Greyses. Neither de Miguel nor his wife nor Michael Sayers."

"But we have the gold," I reminded him once more.

"Damn the gold!" Rimmington retorted profanely.

But Gorty thought otherwise. So, when he recovered consciousness, did Metzger.

"The Unfamiliar Triangle," eighth story of this remarkable series, will begin in our next issue.

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NOTICE
MAZY BURKE, whose last known address was Fullerton, Kentucky, will take notice that William Burke filed his petition for divorce on the 15th day of March, 1922, praying for a divorce on the grounds of gross neglect of duty, same being case No. 1730, in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, and that said case will be for hearing on or after the 28th day of April 1923.

WILLARD BURKE
By A. C. Campbell, Plaintiff's Atty.
Advertisement, March 17-18 Sats.

LEGAL NOTICE
The Stockholders of The Washington Hotel Company and all other persons interested will take notice that an adjourned meeting of the stockholders of said corporation, will be held at the office of its Secretary, Rooms 11-17 Turley Building, Portsmouth, Ohio, on Sunday April 29, 1923, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the purpose of finally closing its business and surrendering and abandoning its corporate authority.

By order of the stockholders of said corporation and its Board of Directors, GEO. M. JOSEPH, Secretary
Advertisement, Feb. 10-14 Sats.

NOTICE OF ATTACHMENT

Robert Gloth, whose last known place of residence was Monessen, Pennsylvania, and Emma Gloth, who resides at Holycroft, Mass., will take notice that on the 2nd day of March, 1923, that Cyrus G. Gowan filed a petition in the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio, being case No. 17741, praying for the recovery of \$147.50 from the defendants Robert Gloth and Emma Gloth with interest at the rate of 6 per cent from the 9th day of October, 1922, due on an account for work and labor.

Notice is also hereby given that an order of attachment has been issued in this action for the attachment of the property of the defendants located in a building in the corner of Third and Jefferson Streets in the City of Portsmouth, Ohio.

The said defendants are required to file answer on or before six weeks from date of first publication or judgment will be taken against them.

CYRUS G. GOWAN, Plaintiff
Joseph T. Mickelthwait, Attorney.
Advertisement, March 10-14 Sats.

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INVITING OPPOSITION

PEOPLE who don't like our Sunday laws had better get out of the country, declared the Rev. Harry L. Bowlby, secretary of the Lord's Day alliance, in New York, a day or two ago. That is No. One on the list of finalities with which the impatient or intolerant seeks to end an uncomfortable argument. "If you don't like it you can jump it," is another version.

Of course, a great many persons will agree with the Rev. Mr. Bowlby in his attitude of impatience with the movies. He attributes to those who would "liberalize" Sunday observance. Although Sabbath-day recreations are now viewed more tolerantly than was the case of a few years ago, there is still little support for the anti-blue law agitator who is suspected of mercenary motives.

But however understandable the impatience of the Rev. Mr. Bowlby may be, his intolerance in the long run is likely to prove costly to his cause. It is neither a sufficient nor a defensible answer to any citizen who protests a law to tell him to take it or leave it. American citizens are not required merely to obey laws; they are privileged to change them by orderly means. Those who refuse to obey a law are bad citizens, but those who attempt by legal processes to amend, modify or annul any specific law may be very good citizens.

A better answer by the Rev. Mr. Bowlby might be: "If you don't like the Sunday laws, just try to change them. See how far you can get." That sort of an answer would strengthen the position of the Lord's Day Alliance.

TEACHING IN FAVOR AGAIN

UNTIL the war made a demand for woman's effort in many lines until that time not readily open to the sex, teaching was the chief profession of women earners. Possibly teaching did not fail to draw more than any other line of work even then, but the percentage as related to the whole decreased.

There was another reason than the greater opportunity for the disposition to seek other occupations. In many instances the latter offered better pay than the schools. For one or two years there was a scarcity of those qualified to teach and great difficulty was experienced in providing for the less desirable schools. Naturally, the schools had to meet the competition and wages were increased measurably. In addition employment was restricted in other lines. As a result the young woman has gone back into her own as a school teacher.

Until teaching becomes a more definite profession and pays as great rewards as others which demand no greater ability women will fill the greater number of places. With many teaching is a preliminary to marriage. Since it may not be a permanent occupation it is resorted to particularly because it can be taken up without a great deal of preparation in addition to the schooling already had, especially if one is a college graduate. Once it was almost the only work a young woman desiring employment could hope to have. That day is long since past.

Woman's possibilities are limited scarcely more than men's, but teaching still draws the greater number and because of its nature it will continue, doubtless, to appeal strongly to those seeking a means of support by their own efforts.

NO ESCAPE FROM THE WORLD

UNTIL within a few years, when a liner left her dock the passengers were cut off from the world until the destination of the vessel was approached. There was complete isolation unless on the way other ships were spoken to. With the coming of wireless telegraphy this condition ended and ship connection with the land has been still further augmented by the wireless telephone. The Leviathan, which is being refitted will have a telephone in every stateroom by which passengers may call up their offices or their homes or any of their friends.

Thus in mid-Atlantic one will be no more separated from affairs at home than though one be in a nearby city, if the emergency arises in which communication is necessary or desirable. Of course radio communication has performed marvelous service in life-saving and would not now be done without. It has operated largely to remove the mysteries of the sea, but will the ocean be the same if it be tied so closely to the land that there is no escape from cares of the world by going to sea?

Teaching the theory of evolution in Oklahoma schools is forbidden. It is probably a canard, however, that the legislature is seriously considering a bill to burn witches at the stake.

It is hard to get excited about counterfeiting. The average man seldom sees a bill large enough to be worth counterfeiting in these days of the 60-cent dollar.

New York=Day=By=Day

BY G. O. MONTGOMERY

NEW YORK, March 24.—They are flagging the ankle dancers in the Terpsichorean halls. The head jerking, foot dragging brand of "light fantastic" has become so blatantly vulgar that a quiet tip off from headquarters has warned supper club owners that raids will follow.

The shimmy in its shimmiest moment was never so expressively suggestive. It is essayed mostly by young college cut-ups and girls playing hooky from boarding schools. They roll their eyes, sway and shiver like a storm bound ship.

St. Vitus with all his "ritusing" has never achieved such an effect. The other night a young man with one of those vacuous expressions that only a fond mama could love, was having his epileptic seizure in the middle of a postage stamp dance floor.

A swig of drug store gin and a vanilla sundae had made him particularly don't-careish. The bouncer stopped the music, grabbed the young fellow and applied a hair-brush massage with his open palm. And Terrible Rollo was brought back to normalcy.

Perhaps I am out of tune with the times, yet I can remember at that moon calf period when we young fellows sought our partners with a cursey, talked in shy monosyllables and escorted our companions to seats with a profusion of thanks.

Nowadays the cake eaters rank a lady fair out of her chair as if they were going to do an acrobatic handstand. They wrestle about the floor, passing a flask back and forth to lips and when the music stops they leave each other flat and walk away.

On upper Broadway a dancing academy heralds in electric lights: "We Teach The Cake Ankle!" A dance indeed that is the hoochie, of the circus lot—plus. One of the most talked about devotees of the "cake ankle" are a mother and son. Widowed at 50, she retains her girlish laughter and seeks to be the life of the party.

Milady's coiffure has become a part of her hat trimming. Puffs of hair now show through the hat. In most instances the effect is achieved with a tight-fitting turban.

Lillian Lorraine who was one year ago thought to be hopelessly crippled as the result of a fall, is now the hostess at a supper club. Those who have seen her say she is looking more youthful than ever.

Abe Martin



Rev. Wiley Tanager "I lecture on character building" an "equinox" at Metropolitan Hall, tonight. It's cheaper to hear than it is to advertise for help.

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Doc Koko's KOLUM

AN URGENT PLEA

By John Menger

O, Spring, start on your way, Get up some speed, I pray, Turn red-breast robins loose, Send north the wild gray goose, And bring us posies gay.

O, Spring now show some class And bring us garden sage, And onions, peas and such, We want them very much, As well as good green grass.

O, Spring, don't loiter now, Our mild-eyed muiety cow, That brings a lot of kale, Is tired of fodder stale, I fear she'll raise a row.

O, Spring, come back once more, Our need of thee is sore, The wife has seeds to plant, And if you don't she can't, Come back, then, I implore.

O, Spring, I find it tough, To write this kind of stuff, In meter'd line and verse, And lest I do it worse, I'll call it, now, enough.

Best Ever

Anthony—Don't you think my dancing has improved?
 Adele—Marvelously! Why it has everything skinned—including my ankles.—"Topics of the Day" Films.

Why Worry?

"Every city," says a trade journal, "is face to face with the problem of widening its streets."
 Given time, the problem will settle itself. In a few more years the sidewalks can be taken up and given over to vehicular traffic. There won't be any pedestrians left.—Motor News.

Not Any More

Though March is the month When the winds blow high, The Lord blows no dust In the bad man's eye. For no longer it takes A hoisterous breeze To acquaint a bad man With women's knees. —Eliot Kays Stone.

It Looked Easy

An English mother was visiting her son at college.
 "Well, dear," she said, "what languages did you decide to take?"
 "I have decided to take Polish, mother," he replied.
 "Polish?" said the puzzled lady. "Why Polish?"
 "Only five words of it remain," he

THE REAL BOGIE—BY BRIGGS



Knew He Was Important

When Chief Justice Taft was delivering an address in Portland, Ore., his friend, Bishop Keator, entered the auditorium, and the ex-President immediately sandwiched this story into his talk:

"The Bishop was absorbed in a book while seated in a Pullman car. The porter scrutinized him very carefully and said: 'Scuse me, Senator, anything ah kin do fo' yo', sah?' The Bishop replied in the negative."

The porter returned again soon and asked: "Shall ah open de window, Gur-nor?" The response once more was: "No, thanks."

A third excursion he ventured: "Scuse me, Kuh'nel, kaint' ah brush yo' off?"

The Bishop looked up. "Listen, porter," he said, "I'm not a Senator, or a Governor, or a Colonel; nothing but a poor, common Episcopal Bishop."
 "Yessah, Bish'p," replied the darker, "but ah jes' knowed yo' wuz one o' dem face cawds."—Judge.

Practical

John D. Rockefeller took a little girl to Cleveland to ride in his car and after she had comfortably seated herself he asked her: "Where would you like to go?"

"Oh, I don't care," the little miss replied. "Where do you want to go?"

"I," Mr. Rockefeller replied with a twinkle in his eyes, "I want to go to heaven."

"Oh, Mr. Rockefeller," the girl exclaimed, "I guess you haven't got gasoline enough to take you there." —Boston Globe.

Ready For Them

On an European battle field in the late world war a big, raw-boned Yankee sergeant was gathering in a bunch of German prisoners, among them an officer. There was a look of bewilderment on the German officer's face.
 "I cannot understand it," said he.
 "These were the Kaiser's storm troops."
 "Storm troops, hell," retorted his captor. "We're from Kansas where they raise cyclones."—Judge.

His Answer

Teacher—"Now, Harry, what is the third letter of the alphabet?"
 Small Harry—"Duuno."
 Teacher—"Yes, you do. What is it you do with your eyes?"
 Small Harry—"Mother" says I squint." —Chicago News.

A Friendly Word

Jasper—I haven't a good word for that fellow Jim.
 Dexter—Well, they ain't much good said about him. But I'll say one good thing about Jim, he wasn't always as mean as he was sometimes.

Waste of Time

"I asked Jim if he would contest his wife's suit for divorce and he said no."
 "What reason did he give?"
 "Said he didn't see any use; he never won an argument with that woman in his life."

THE OLD HOME TOWN

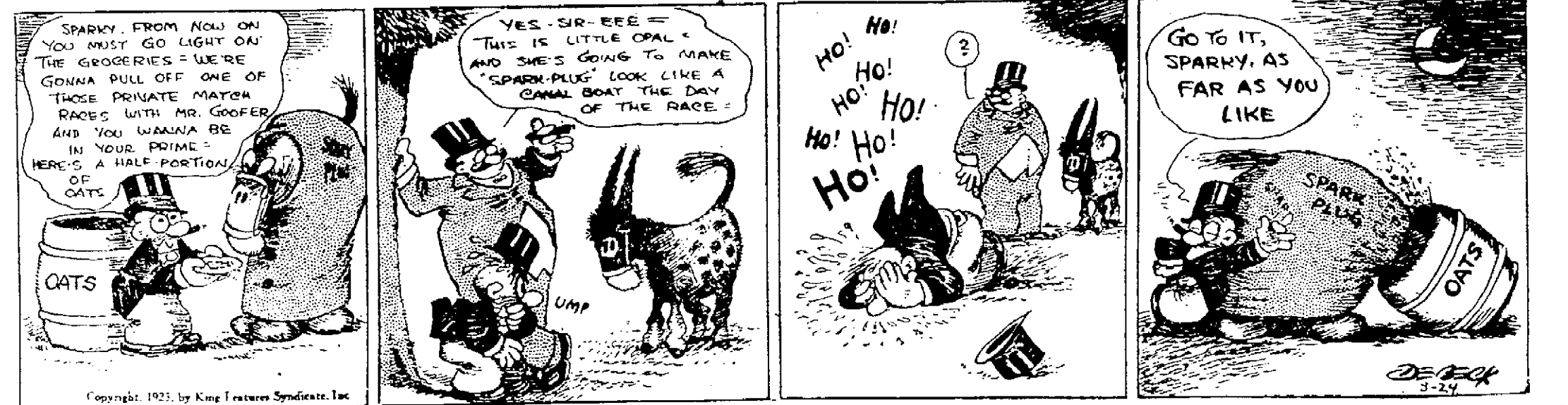
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BARNEY GOOGLE

Barney Has No Fear Of Sparky Foundering

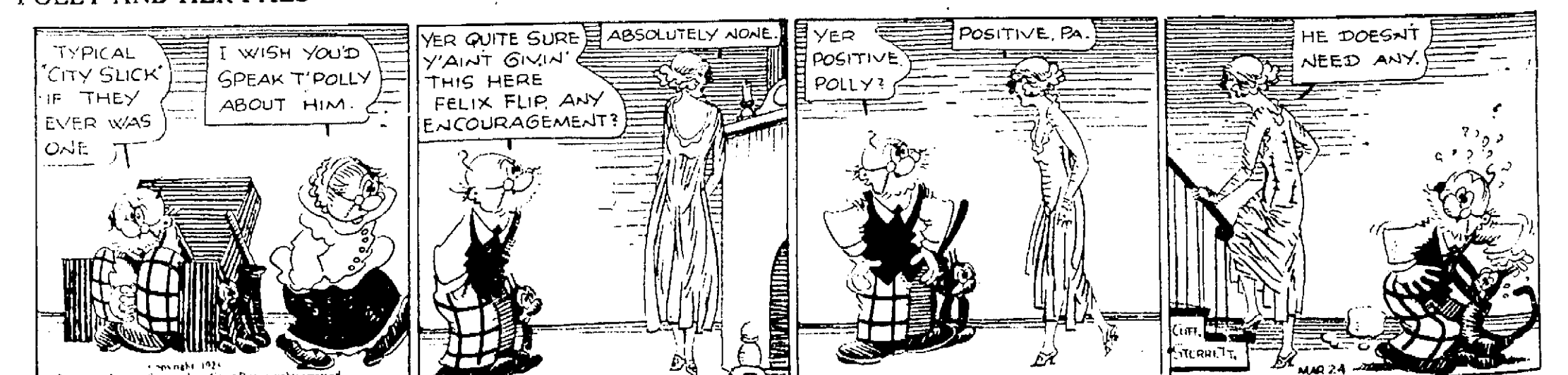
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POLLY AND HER PALS

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